

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday:
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to high
easterly and southerly winds, unsettled
and mild, with rain.

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EIGHTEEN EIGHT-COLUMN PAGES

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Columbia—The Red Lane.
Variety—Trumpet Island.
Princess—Boss of Bar Z Ranch.
Royal Victoria—Pamson's Playground.
Dominion—The Jallbird.
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Romano—The Figuredhead.

Soldiers to Pick Most Worthy Men For Reserve Jobs

Politicians Barred, Announces Hon. John Hart, Who
Hands Over Appointments to Veterans' Heads;
Married Men Have Good Chance; Many Desire Work

Returned soldiers and married men are to be chosen for the jobs on the Songhees Reserve development work commencing next Monday by the presidents of the returned soldier organizations of the city or their representatives, according to an announcement to-day by the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance.

J. D. McIvlen, Deputy Minister of Labor, and A. F. Proctor, Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways, will also be members of the committee. Mr. Proctor is to advise on the technical qualifications necessary for the various jobs.

Politicians are barred absolutely from any association with the committee, Hon. Mr. Hart announced.

Jobs For Most Worthy Men.
This arrangement for awarding the jobs has been made, Hon. Mr. Hart explained, so that the men who have the best right to the jobs will get them.

"As the object of starting this work now that the winter is setting in is partly to relieve distress—that is, growing through unemployment, we have worked out this plan of giving out the work as we feel confident that the presidents of the various returned soldier organizations will be best qualified to select the men for employment according to their merits," said the Hon. Mr. Hart. "Returned men and married men are to be given preference in every case."

Swarm of Applications.
Applications for jobs started to pour into the office of returned soldiers organizations yesterday afternoon shortly after the announcement was made of the starting of work to open up the Reserve and make ready for the construction of the Johnson Street bridge which is also to start almost immediately.

"We have had so many applications that I think we could fill all the jobs with our own members," said President Stone of the G.W.V.A. this afternoon.

G. W. V. A. Not Discriminating.
President Stone announced that the G.W.V.A. employment bureau is not discriminating against outsiders, but is accepting applications from all on the Reserve from all returned men whether they are members of any returned organization or not.

Applications from married men and others who are not returned soldiers may be sent to Mr. McIvlen or Chief Engineer Proctor. All applications will be considered at a meeting of the selection committee Saturday morning.

PORT ANGELES TO MAKE NEWSPRINT
San Francisco, Nov. 18.—The Zellerbach Paper Company and associated interests have invested \$1,500,000 in the Washington Pulp & Paper Corporation of Port Angeles, Wash. It was announced here, Newsprint is to be manufactured at the plant, officials said to-day.

MRS. W. HOHENZOLLERN IN WEAK STATE
The Hague, Nov. 18.—The illness of Mrs. W. Hohenzollern, former Kaiserin of Germany, has again taken a critical turn. Frederick William Hohenzollern, her eldest son and former Crown Prince of Germany, made a hurried trip to-day from Wiesbaden to her bedside.

Table of Occupations of Party Candidates

There are about sixty different occupations represented among the candidates of the three principal parties, the minor parties and independents who are seeking the suffrages of the electors in the present provincial campaign.

Farmers and lawyers lead the way with twenty-two and nineteen respectively, while none of the others reach double figures. It is known that about thirty of the candidates have an overseas record and others were in earlier Empire wars, so that the veterans stand a good chance of adequate representation, whatever selection the public makes on December 1.

Accountant	2	Journalist	2
Agent	1	Laborer	2
Agent, finance	1	Lecturer	1
Agent, forwarding	1	Logger	1
Agent, insurance	4	Longshoreman	1
Auctioneer	1	Lumbermen	1
Barkeeper-at-large	1	Major	1
Bla-smith	1	Manager	2
Boiler-maker's helper	1	Printer	1
Builder	1	Manufacturer	1
Cannerman	1	Master mariner	1
Car inspector	1	Miner	1
Carpenter	2	Minor operator	1
Cherryman	1	Motorman	1
Clerk	1	Moulder	1
Composer	1	Physician	1
Contractor	2	Public official	1
Dentist	1	Publisher	2
Druggist	1	Railway employee	1
Educationalist	1	Retired	2
Engineer, civil	1	Shipyard foreman	1
Engineer, electrical	1	Shipyard worker	1
Engineer, locomotive	1	Surface foreman	1
Engineer, stationary	1	Tailor	1
Engineer, steam	1	Widow	1
Farmer	22		
Foundryman	1		
Fruitgrower	1		
Jeweller	1		

WORK FOR 50,000 MORE ON PRAIRIES

Western Canada Colonization
Association Trying to
Bring in Settlers

Mayor of Medicine Hat
Speaks at Luncheon
in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press).—At a Manitoba Government luncheon in honor of Lieutenant-Governor Brett, of Alberta and directors of the Western Canada Colonization Association here to-day Mayor M. A. Brown, of Medicine Hat, provincial chairman of the Association, declared:

"Closer settlement of the Canadian West will prove a short route to financial security for Canada as a nation and for the whole Canadian population as individuals."

In outlining the aims, organization and the work already accomplished by the Association, Mayor Brown asserted that the settlement and development of from 20,000,000 to 30,000,000 acres of land would mean 500,000 more settlers in the West who would support 500,000 additional residents in Western cities and towns and result in a corresponding increase in the population of Eastern Canada.

Half Million More.
Business men of the West were to be asked to subscribe between \$300,000 and \$500,000 for the work of the Association, the speaker said, pointing out that activities in the East had resulted in subscription totalling \$1,300,000.

The East, Mayor Brown said, had responded generously to the call. At no other time since Confederation had Eastern men shown a greater development. He asked that the West display the same spirit of co-operation.

AMERICAN-JAPANESE EXCHANGES PROCEED
Dispatch from Tokio Says
Real Progress is Being Made

Tokio, Nov. 17.—(Associated Press).—There is a distinct improvement in the situation between Japan and the United States relative to the California controversy, and officials here believe real progress is being made in the negotiations between the two countries. Hitherto there has been a somewhat pessimistic attitude, which has been created by the many delicate points involved.

PRO-CONSTANTINE EVENTS IN ATHENS
Supporters Who Wish Former King Back Make Noisy Demonstrations

Athens, Nov. 17.—(Associated Press).—George Rallis, the new Premier of Greece, with three members of his cabinet, took the oath of office before Admiral Coundourietis, the Regent, today. M. Rallis will hold the portfolio of Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Immediately after he had qualified for office, M. Rallis demanded the Regent's resignation. The other members of the new cabinet will take the oath before Queen Mother Olga. Bands of civil guards went through the city during the day, acclaiming former King Constantine and firing revolvers as a token of rejoicing.

Students Debated.
Tokio, Nov. 16.—(Associated Press).—Two thousand university students met here to-night to discuss the question "Shall Japan Fight America?" The debate lasted four hours and was marked by vehement oratory, but the audience remained in good humor during the evening. The managers of the meeting, out of deference to the police, decided not to take a vote on the merits of the question as disclosed by the speakers, and apparently the audience was equally divided as to the expediency of war between the two countries.

Expediency.
Speakers taking part in the debate agreed that the action of California in legislation against Japanese owning property in that state furnished a sufficient cause for hostilities, but they differed concerning the expediency of going to war. Many pointed out the fact of America's wealth and preparedness contrasted against Japan's weakness. One student thought that if Japan attacked the United States over this question, other white races might combine against Japan.

The orators freely praised the past friendliness of the United States for this country, but added: "Now that Japan is grown up, America is tired of us."

YOUNG ROBBER SURRENDERS AT TOWN IN IOWA
Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 18.—Orville Phillips, a young robber, has surrendered to Government authorities and has confessed to having participated in the \$3,500,000 robbery of a mail train on the Burlington Railroad here Saturday night. Orville's confession is a dramatic incident in the story of the crime and his surrender was made, he said, when he discovered that his brother Merl was perjurying himself in an effort to save him. Orville Phillips says that Merl had nothing to do with the actual robbery, and in fact did all that he could to persuade the other boys from carrying out the robbery.

ESQUIMALT HOSPITAL TO CLOSE DECEMBER 31

The Esquimalt Hospital will be closed by December 31, according to official information received here from Ottawa to-day. The closing of the institution is forced by the fact that work on the construction of the new Esquimalt drydock will encroach upon the Hospital grounds. It will be impossible, of course, for the hospital officials to continue the operation of the hospital when blasting and construction work is proceeding on the grounds. This fact is stated to be the Government's only reason for closing the institution.

Asks Canon Hinchliffe If He Knows of and Can Endorse Bowser's Past

To Canon Hinchliffe, especially, and R. Ross Sutherland, was put up by the Hon. John Hart, at the Liberal campaign meeting last night, whether they endorse Mr. Bowser in their enunciation of a high moral plane in politics.

"That is one of the questions I want to put before the four Conservative candidates and particularly Canon Hinchliffe and Mr. Sutherland, who moved and seconded the vote of confidence in Mr. Bowser at the Conservative nominating convention," said the Hon. Mr. Hart.

"I believe the whole four Conservative candidates must be most ignorant of the political history of this Province, because I believe that he has been very busy explaining to one of the unsuccessful aspirants at the Conservative nominating convention how it was that he supplied the cars to get that Conservative convention packed."

IRISH "INQUIRY" FARCE IN STATES
Self-Appointed "Committee of 100" Hears Some Persons' Statements
Washington, Nov. 18.—"Only the direct necessity" could justify a report to arms for the adjustment of disputes in Ireland, Frederick C. Howe, chairman of the commission from the "Committee of 100" investigating the Irish question, declared today at the opening of the commission's hearing here. He added that the conditions in Ireland "have created and are creating a widening rift in the friendly relations of English-speaking people not only in America, but all over the world."

RED CROSS DRIVE TO BEGIN MONDAY
Local Committee Will Make Appeal for One Week in Aid of Stricken Peoples
The Red Cross drive for the suffering of the stricken countries of Europe and Asia, as a consequence of pestilence and famine following in the wake of war, will begin on Monday in Victoria, with the choice of a committee to solicit subscriptions. The quota set here is \$10,000, and the committee hopes to secure the money by November 25. Subscriptions should be forwarded to the Hon. Treasurer, Canadian Red Cross Society.

For Life Itself.
While the concern of the great nations of the earth is for commercial security and predominance, the smaller nations of Europe are struggling for life itself.

Working in populations greatly weakened by lack of food and clothing, exposure, and the mental (Concluded on page 12.)

VOTE THE STRAIGHT LIBERAL TICKET
JOHN OLIVER, JOHN HART, HENRY C. HALL, J. B. CLEARHUE

LIBERAL MEETING
Saturday, November 20
Semple's Hall, Victoria West
8 o'clock

The Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, Mr. Henry C. Hall and Mr. J. B. Clearhue, the Liberal Candidates for Victoria on the Oliver ticket, will address the meeting. Chairman, C. F. Banfield.

MEAS. S. M. MORTON, THE WELL-KNOWN SOLOIST, WILL SING.
God Save the King.

Everybody Welcome Ladies Specially Invited
Campaign Manager, Phone 1526.

RUMOR LITHUANIA WILL BE OCCUPIED BY LEAGUE FORCES

Madrid, Nov. 18.—A rumor that Spain has been called upon by the League of Nations to participate in an international military occupation of Lithuania is published by the majority of the Madrid newspapers to-day.

TORONTO UNIVERSITY.
Toronto, Nov. 18.—About \$2,000,000 will be needed to finance the University of Toronto in the current year, according to a statement.

BRITISH-SOVIET TRADE SCHEME

London About to Submit
Draft Agreement to Russian Soviet

Based on Plan of Last July,
Says Mr. Lloyd George

London, Nov. 18.—Premier Lloyd George stated in the House of Commons to-day that the Cabinet had decided that a draft of an agreement to carry out the July arrangements for trade with Russia should be prepared and he hoped it would be ready for submission to the Russian Government in a few days.

A dispatch from London yesterday said that in anticipation of the signing during the next few days of the trade agreement between the British and Russian Governments, goods of various kinds were being hurried to Eastern ports for shipment to Reval. Preparations for the resumption of trade had been going on for several weeks, and the articles being supplied by traders first in the field included railway materials, clothing, boots, textiles, agricultural machinery and motor lorries.

The dispatch added that it had been known that serious differences of opinion existed in the Cabinet regarding conditions under which trade should be re-opened. Mr. Lloyd George, however, was said to have taken a determined line that resumption of trade with Russia was a vital necessity, over-riding almost every other consideration.

WESTMINSTER CLEARINGS.
New Westminster, Nov. 18.—The bank clearings here during the past week were \$734,572.

URGE ELECTION OF IRISH ASSEMBLY

Leaders of Parliamentary
Labor Party in Britain
Issue Manifesto

London, Nov. 18.—The Executive Committee of the Parliamentary Labor Party has issued a manifesto signed by Mr. Arthur Henderson, William C. Adamson and John R. Clynes, calling upon the Labor Party throughout the country to take more active steps to secure the withdrawal of all armed forces from Ireland, and the election by the proportional representation system of a Constituent Assembly charged with the task of working out whatever constitution the Irish people desire, in order to settle their own affairs, provided proper protection is accorded the minorities, and Ireland is released from becoming a military stronghold to Great Britain.

The manifesto explains that this action is taken because of the hopelessness of "expecting anything from a Parliament dominated by a mechanical Government majority. It states that the party has decided to conduct a great national campaign to enlighten the British public on what is happening in Ireland, and also to appoint a commission to visit Ireland and investigate the Government's policy and methods. The commission will have legal and military advisers, and will start for Ireland at the beginning of next week.

The witness testified that he and his family lay huddled on a stone floor all night to escape the bullets flying through his windows and doors. There were no religious differences between the Thurlis inhabitants, Mr. Morgan said, and the town was law-abiding.

The witness testified that he was arrested when he left his home January 30 to attend an organization meeting of the Town Council. He said he asked with what offence he was charged and the constabulary replied: "No charge; just Government orders."

VANCOUVER CLEARINGS.
Vancouver, Nov. 18.—The past week's bank clearings here were \$17,602,568.

DISEASE SCHEMES OF SINN FEINERS
Spreading of Glanders Among British Army Horses; and Typhoid for Men

London, Nov. 18.—Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, stated in the House of Commons to-day that during a recent raid in Ireland troops captured a document, sent by the commander-in-chief of the "Irish Republican Army," to his chief of staff, containing a series of remarkable and horrifying statements regarding the spreading of typhoid among the troops and glanders among the cavalry horses.

Sir Hamar read the document. Dealing with the possibility of spreading typhoid among the troops by infected milk, the document described the difficulties and risks run by the operators and concluded with the statement that the chief of staff would, in any case, need expert opinion in order to carry out the suggestion in the document.

In Oats.
Regarding the spreading of glanders among horses, the general method to be adopted were reported to be the use of infected oats, and the conclusion formed that the best method was by doctoring their oats. This method was described in detail, it being added that any doctor would explain how to grow the microbes.

The document concludes: "Give my regards to all. I hope your success will continue. God bless you all."

Sir George Foster Vice-President of the World League

Canadian Minister of Trade Elected to One of Official
Positions at Meeting of Assembly To-day; Will Be
Member of Executive Committee.

Geneva, Nov. 18.—Sir George Foster, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, was elected a vice-president of the League of Nations on the first ballot, it was announced by President Hymans this afternoon.

Geneva, Nov. 18.—The report of the Council of the League of Nations was again before the Assembly of the League for consideration at to-day's session, as was the election of six vice-presidents, who with the chairmen of the Assembly's six commissions will comprise the bureau executive committee of that body.

No announcement of speakers had been made but the character of the subject under discussion opened the way for anyone with something to say to take the floor and say it, thus holding out the possibility of an extended debate ranging over the entire scope of the League's activities.

The Secretariat of the Assembly was notified to-day that Prince Arfa-Ed-Dowleh, head of the Persian delegation to the Assembly, had met with a thrilling adventure with a tragic end for his secretary.

While the delegation was on its way to Geneva from Teheran, the Persian capital, between Shiraz and Isfahan, the Prince was captured by a felder and the robbers seized the Prince's papers and killed his secretary. The Prince made his escape and the authorities eventually captured the band and restored the papers. The Prince is continuing his journey and sent word that he hoped to arrive in Geneva shortly.

Tardy.
In spite of the thrush which had been directed at them yesterday by Delegate Miller of Australia for their lack of promptness, the delegates were again tardy in assembling to-day, less than half of their number being present at the opening hour. These were collected in groups about the hall, connecting immediately on yesterday's committee elections, in which the Latin countries captured nine out of the total of twelve chairman and vice-chairmen.

A Great Example.
London, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press).—Lord Robert Cecil, who represents South Africa at the sessions of the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, pleading for a bold line in a policy of reconciliation, according to The Morning Post's correspondent, said:
"I stand before you as a substitute for General Smuts, who not many years ago was one of the most respectable, and one of the most successful commanders of the British forces in arms against the British Empire. I am the son of the Prime Minister who conducted that war on behalf of the Empire, and that does general goes to the son of a British Prime Minister and asks him to appear before this Assembly as the best exponent of his (Smuts's) views on international subjects."

The speech was loudly applauded.

NATIONALISTS OF TURKEY LOOK TO RUSSIAN SOVIET
Constantinople, Nov. 17.—Turkish Nationalists consider the treaty between Turkey and the Allied nations invalid, and have designated Soviet Russia as the "Wardens of the Orient," declares Talaat Pasha, former Turkish Grand Vizier, in an interview. He asserts the Pan-Islamic movement is directed against the "imperialistic oppressors of Moslems."

HOUSEBREAKER IN TORONTO SENTENCED FOURTEEN YEARS
Toronto, Nov. 18.—Pleading guilty to four charges of house-breaking and theft, Louis Leblanc was given the maximum penalty of fourteen years by Judge Coatsworth, because he would not divulge the whereabouts of Victoria Bonds to the value of \$10,100, the savings of a young woman.

792,200 ACRES OF FALL WHEAT
Fall Ploughing Done Throughout Canada Represents 71 Per Cent.

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press).—The total area sown to fall wheat in Canada this season is estimated at 792,200 acres, a figure issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. In 1919 there were 846,800 acres sown and 814,133 acres harvested. This year the area sown is 792,200 acres, or 6 per cent. from the area sown in 1919, and 21,933 acres from the area harvested in 1920.

In Ontario, the area sown is 738,300 acres, a decrease of 7 per cent. from the 794,100 acres sown in the fall of 1919. Alberta has an increase of 1 per cent. from 38,400 in 1919 to 38,800 (Concluded on page 12.)

Canada's Express System Wrong, Carvell Declares
St. John, N.B., Nov. 18.—"The whole express system is wrong," announced Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Railway Commission, which to-day opened a session here to hear arguments for and against the proposal to grant the express companies a forty per cent. increase in rates.

Continuing, Mr. Carvell remarked: "Express business has developed into fast freight on passenger trains. It is about time we viewed the situation squarely. Most of the time the trains are late it is due to unloading freight from passenger trains."

Mr. Carvell had just heard representations from the St. John's Board of Trade, its secretary, R. O. Armstrong, having read a letter from the Merchants' Association stating that the express companies' distribution rates in the maritime provinces were allowed to stand so far as freight was concerned.

Mr. Carvell said he knew that fruit and liquor could be shipped by express train and he had often been delayed by the unloading of "fruit and liquor" particularly liquor.

"Hain the rates on liquor," said a voice.

Mr. Carvell expressed the opinion that it should be put up four times.

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FOR EX-SERVICE MEN.

London, Nov. 18.—Col. Amery, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, announced in the House of Commons last night that the period within which applications may be made by ex-service men for free passage to other parts of the Empire had been extended to December, 1921. Applicants who applied and who were approved before that date could avail themselves of the privilege any time before December, 1922.

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HAMSTERLEY FARM MARMA- LADE—4-lb. tin	90c	COOKING PEARS— 6 lbs. for	25c
HAMSTERLEY FARM LOGANBERRY JAM— 4-lb. tin	\$1.18	WINESAP APPLES— Per box	\$2.40
NEW SEEDED RAISINS— Per packet	28c	NEW WALNUTS— Per lb.	25c
SPRATT'S DOG BISCUITS— Per sack	\$1.15	NICE LOCAL POTATOES— Per sack	\$2.50
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MOTHERS' PENSION SYSTEM PRAISED

Superintendent of Neglected Children Says British Columbia Act Best

637 Pensions for November; Grant Relief for Many Mothers

VANCOUVER, Nov. 18.—David Brankin, Superintendent of Neglected Children, in a short address at last evening's session of the Convention of the Child Welfare Association here said that the present mothers' pension legislation in British Columbia was the finest in existence. It was not true that the pensions had not been paid out until October 1, on the eve of the election, Mr. Brankin stated.

"I have a letter in my pocket dated September 11, thanking me for a cheque and I have acknowledgments of pensions dating back to July," said the Superintendent, "and tonight I have signed a voucher for 637 pensions for November. If people knew of the relief the pensions have given to mothers they would regret that the act had not been passed long ago."

Mrs. Smith, British Columbia was a little behind in town planning and housing, said Mrs. Ralph Smith.

"What is the use of a beautiful house if it is opposite a laundry?" asked the lady legislator. Beauty of surroundings had a great effect on the mind of the child, said Mrs. Smith, "advocating more up-to-date town planning with beauty spots accessible to every boy and girl."

Several resolutions were dealt with. A motion that the Provincial Government be asked to appropriate a sum for a British Columbia School of Art was carried.

It was also resolved that the Government should be requested to provide means for special classes for super-normal or exceptionally gifted children and scholarships for those who needed financial assistance.

The efforts of the Women's Institute and kindred societies of Nelson to secure a juvenile court judge were endorsed and co-operation promised.

It was resolved, owing to an unpleasant incident at the last Provincial convention, that only speakers of unquestioned loyalty be asked to give addresses.

Playgrounds
That the councils of various cities in the Province be asked to provide for municipal playgrounds and trained supervisors was resolved. In connection with improved ventilation in the schools a resolution was made that the school board be asked to open the schools for public lectures on the subject.

Today the convention will close with the afternoon session. Election of officers by the Provincial and Vancouver executives will be held at the City Hall tonight.

SUGAR LOAN PLAN IS ABANDONED

New York, Nov. 18.—Plans of United States and Canadian bankers to take over loans of between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000 held by Cuban bankers against sugar growers of the island have been abandoned. Diversity of interests among the banks included in the plans is attributed as the reason, some of the bankers having their own branches in Cuba, while others are represented by corporations there.

Pipe-smoking is increasing in popularity among women who favour specially blended mixtures and extensively decorated pipes.

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CRERAR DECLARES ISSUES EVADED

Speaking for McDermand, He Says Government Sidestepping in East Elgin

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Nov. 18.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, ex-Minister of Agriculture and President of the United Grain Growers' Association, spoke last night on behalf of S. McDermand, United Farmer candidate in the East Elgin Federal by-election.

The responsibility of partisanship was the first point made by Mr. Crerar in his address, in which he declared that the Melghen Government in its campaign in behalf of its candidate in the riding of East Elgin is deliberately evading the great issues which vitally concern the welfare of the people of Canada and that it is supported by and seeking to carry the seat solely in the interest of the "big interests."

"I have been two days in the constituency of East Elgin," said Mr. Crerar, "and from reading the newspapers and advertisements therein, I am compelled to wonder what are the issues before the people of Canada. What about the country's enormous debt? What about the Government's naval policy? What about military training? We know that the Government has redoubled the establishment of the permanent militia of Canada, and that it has expended \$22,000,000 on the mounted police, the army and the navy. Should not these be vital matters in the study and discussion of which the people should be encouraged?"

Imperial Affairs
"What about Imperial relationship? We are told that Canada has attained a new status, and I believe she has. But do we hear the Government asking for the expressed opinion of the people on these matters?"

"What about Canada's ambassador to the United States, for whom a sum of \$90,000 was set aside?"

"What about the railway policy of the Government? What about freight rates?"

"What about the high cost of living? All these are real and vital issues before the people of Canada. Is the Government policy in each of these issues such that it is afraid to discuss them with the people it professes to serve? If it is not afraid, why is it that we find such evident attempts at confusing the issues by trying to make it solely one of tariff?"

Robertson to Speak
ST. THOMAS, Ont., Nov. 18.—Senator Gideon Robertson, Minister of Labor, will be here tonight to address the electors of East Elgin on behalf of the Government candidate in the by-election. He is coming at the request of the labor men.

ADVERTISING CRISIS SAID TO BE NEAR

Montreal, Nov. 18.—William Findlay, business manager of The Toronto Globe, speaking before the Montreal Public Affairs Association here yesterday, said that in newspaper advertising circles a crisis was approaching.

Newspapers found it necessary to raise advertising rates, while prices for commodities were falling. He ascribed this to the fact that publishers had persuaded the Government to control the price of newspapers.

FIVE MORE VIOLENT DEATHS IN IRELAND

London, Nov. 18.—A dispatch from Cork said Sgt. O'Donoghue, of the constabulary, was shot dead in a street in Cork last night. His assailant escaped.

A dispatch from Whitegate, County Clare, said four of six constabulary under the Restoration of Order Act were shot dead while trying to escape from their escort, according to an official report.

Any Woman's Struggle For Good Health Quickly Rewarded

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LABOR MEN GAVE VIEWS ON TARIFF

Moderate Tariff Urged; Advisory Committee and Board Suggested

Montreal, Nov. 18.—Organized labor's views regarding the tariff mission both by representatives of the international unions and by Canadian unions. J. T. Foster, president of the Montreal Trades and Labor Council, presented a written statement, which he claimed represented the views of ninety per cent. of the labor men of Canada and which pronounced strongly in favor of a moderate tariff, or protection sufficient to insure the continuance of industries which were the source of employment of Canadian labor.

The statement strongly advocated the appointment of a scientific advisory committee to consider all matters relating to the tariff, and a permanent tariff board. By such means he considered the Dominion could get relief from the "curse of tariff elections, from which it was suffering at present."

He admitted that the tariff could not be altogether taken out of politics, but hoped that with the appointment of a tariff board and a scientific advisory commission, much of the present evil conditions would be averted.

D. Giroux
The same ideas were, to a large extent, voiced by David Giroux, representing the Canadian National Union, who came forward as an out-and-out supporter of reasonable protection in the interests of labor in particular and the country in general.

These were the main features of yesterday's session of the Tariff Commission here, although a number of other important discussions and statements were considered, bearing on the iron and steel industries, the flour milling trade and other industries. The main complaint of business men was from the continuous dumping into Canada of surplus American goods in times of stress, despite the anti-dumping laws.

Senator Robertson asked President Foster as to the conditions in Montreal and Mr. Foster said that there was a lot of unemployment. In the metal industry he thought forty per cent. were unemployed. The building trades also were slack and the railways had reduced their staffs extensively. Marine, locomotive building, steel and boot and shoe industries were also much reduced in staffs.

Election Talk
Senator Robertson asked if he knew any reason for this slump in employment.

Mr. Foster: "I am told the general belief that an election is impending has something to do with it—but probably you know more about that than we do."

A statement on behalf of the newly formed Canadian Millers' National Association, submitted by A. E. LaBelle, of the St. Lawrence Flour Mills, accompanied by W. E. Black, of the Ogilvie Milling Company, urging a moderate duty on wheat and its products, for the protection of Canadian milling, closed the session.

NANAIMO AUDIENCE HEARD MR. BOWSER

Nanaimo, Nov. 18.—W. J. Bowser, Provincial Conservative Leader, and Captain Gilchrist, Conservative candidate in this riding, addressed a meeting last night.

Captain Gilchrist said Hon. William Sloan had done nothing for Nanaimo.

Asked as to his attitude toward old age pensions, Capt. Gilchrist said: "I will do all I can as I am getting that way myself."

Mr. Bowser, though suffering from voice strain, spoke for nearly two hours and a half.

He claimed the Government's policy was undefined regarding necessary relief of the municipalities from their heavy taxation. Mr. Farris told Vancouver the Government would give \$250,000 a year. Next day Mr. Oliver informed a municipal deputation that he would promise nothing.

Mr. Bowser said he himself would give a per capita grant from the consolidated funds. Stretches of Island highway like Haliburton Street should receive relief.

Mr. Bowser said he stood for a proper enforcement of a proper moderation bill. He defined his policy as a businesslike administration, the lifting of the reserve from mineral areas and encouragement of the pulp industry.

In answer to questions, both Mr. Bowser and Capt. Gilchrist declared themselves against exemption of churches from taxation.

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EMPIRE PREMIERS TO MEET IN JUNE

London, Nov. 18.—Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law explained in the House last night the meeting of Prime Ministers of the Empire summoned for June next. It will be a meeting along the lines of the Imperial War Cabinet meetings which took place in 1917-18, to deal with urgent problems of common policy and action by the different Governments of the Empire.

Mr. Bonar Law added that there is a general agreement on Imperial defence matters which will require joint examinations in the near future, "but I am not yet able to say precisely what arrangements will be made for their discussion."

ONTARIO MOVING PICTURE CENSORSHIP

Toronto, Nov. 18.—"You cannot censor moving pictures to suit eight-year-old children," remarked Hon. Edward Samuel Montagu, Secretary of State for India, admitted that a dangerous situation existed in that country, and said that the Government would be left perfectly free to take whatever steps it deemed necessary in dealing with it.

ONTARIO WAGE BOARD APPOINTED

Toronto, Nov. 18.—Professor J. W. McMillan, of Victoria University, Toronto, is chairman of the Ontario Minimum Wage Board, whose personnel has been announced by Hon. Walter Rolfe, Minister of Labor, and other new members are R. A. Staples, of the Macleary Manufacturing Company, this city; Mrs. H. W. Parsons, secretary of the National Council of Women; Toronto; H. J. Foster, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, Hamilton, Ont., and Miss Margaret Stevens, of the Toronto Garment Workers' Union.

ECONOMY URGED

London, Nov. 18.—The House of Lords yesterday adopted a motion pressing the Government immediately to reduce the huge deficits in its departments.

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CONCILIATION BOARD

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—The Minister of Labor has established a board of conciliation to act between the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, the Vancouver Power Company and the Vancouver Island Power Company, and the electrical workers employed by these companies.

A. G. McCandless, of Vancouver, will represent the companies on the board, and Edward H. Morrison, the men. In the absence of agreement between the two appointees, the Minister has appointed M. H. McGough, also of Vancouver, to act as chairman of the board.

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BLACK RUIN IS FORSEEN BY BOWSER FORCES

Speakers at Conservative Rally in Victoria West Distinctly Pessimistic

At the Victoria West School last night there was a real gathering of the Conservative clan, when a hundred men and a few ladies from all parts of the city made the trip through the rain to support the party nominees in their appeal to the city electorate.

President J. O. Dunford occupied the chair, and wasted no time in introductions.

W. R. Perry opened the proceedings with one of his characteristic addresses, assuring those present that all the indications pointed to the complete triumph of the Conservative party and their consequent emergence from the fog of opposition into the warmth of office.

He adjured all those present to get aboard the band wagon and assured them they would be brilliantly rewarded by feeling they had had hand in making the change. He closed with an apology for the absence of W. W. Northcott on account of illness.

Found Easy Money.

Ross Sutherland took the stand that the Provincial Government had milked the cities of the Province of about \$4,000,000, which should have gone to the municipalities. He cited as a case in point the amusement tax, which he claimed had produced \$300,000 for the Government without having caused any expenditure.

As an indication of the seriousness of the situation, he pointed to the Victoria tax sales of the past two years, which had caused the city to take over approximately \$4,000,000 worth of lands. The withdrawal of these from taxation will cause, he maintained, at least an addition of five mills to the assessment next year.

Flinty-Hearted Nabobs.

Mr. Sutherland maintained that when the municipalities had gone to the Government for assistance they had been told nothing could be done for them and the Premier had told them to leave governmental revenues alone and dig up something extra for themselves.

He pointed out that when the city secured the creation of shipyards here it had actually added to its burden without having in any way secured additional revenue, although the resulting expenditures had been of great value to the Provincial treasury.

The New Gold Mine.

Mr. Sutherland said that the city would secure from the Conservatives, if they are returned to power, about \$250,000 per capita tax which Mr. Bowser will allow the municipalities. "That may be greater or less, but it is as near as we can get to it," he said.

Would Sell Everything.

Speaking of the Liberal land policy Mr. Sutherland said the Oliver Government had withdrawn from sale all the remaining lands owned by the Province.

He maintained that while the lands were open to homesteaders, this was not the right policy. "Every acre of Provincial land should be for sale," he declared.

A Cruel Imposition.

Mr. Sutherland had some strictures to pass upon the Testators' Maintenance Act, claiming that it was one of the greatest hardships ever created to burden poor widows. "This is just one of the acts which the Conservatives will have to amend," he said.

Guaranteed Speculations.

Referring to the flotation in the O.C. Country of sundry wildcat corporations, purporting to have fortune making schemes in this Province, which Mr. Sutherland maintained were quite common of late, he said: "If the Conservatives are returned to power we will have another department added to the Government to look into and control all incorporations."

"That is all the British investor wants to cause him to invest his capital here. With the endorsement of the Government plenty of capital would be available for such approved ventures."

He closed with an appreciation for the ex-service men and women. Canon Hinchliffe said it was practically impossible to get returned men to act as a body on any matter, let alone such a matter as politics.

He was prepared to make sacrifices on their behalf, but was not willing to do so on behalf of the Conservatives as a body.

Protests Protesters.

I am standing because some returned men have asked me to do so—not all returned men, mind you," he said. "Anyways, here I am, on the Conservative platform. Of course, some ask why I support Mr. Bowser, but I rather think that, were I on Mr. Oliver's side there would still be protesters, and I might be on the side of an even more splendid One, yet there would still be His Satanic Majesty to protest my course."

Referring to the presence of a crippled returned soldier on the platform when he held an open meeting of returned soldiers last week at the Alexandra Club, Canon Hinchliffe said the impression of trying to get into the Legislature over the tortured bodies of battlefield wrecks was unfavourable, unkind, and baseless.

While not denying the general accuracy of reports of his platform utterances, he claimed that the impression which recent Times accounts gave was erroneous, the statement that he suggested a tax on domestic servants being quite untrue. "What I did say was, 'in England gentlemen paid a tax on their men-servants; how would it be for employers of recent enemy aliens to pay a tax on every such employee?' and that is as close as I came to a tax on servants," he said.

"The returned soldier question is largely one for the Federal Government, but when they have done all that is right and just, there are those who require just a little bit more," said the Canon.

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15,000 to 17,000 men are here from other provinces; it is not right that British Columbia should have to look after those men and the other provinces go scot free.

Admits Liberal Justice.

"The Provincial Government has done somewhat, but it should do more. The work of the Soldiers Aid Commission should be extended to ward the permanent re-establishment of these men," he said, and claimed the Province should make strong representation to Ottawa, as the returned men and their organizations cannot exert.

He claimed that an easier interpretation of re-establishment regulations would be effected if the Provincial Executive took up the matter with Ottawa.

He cited the case of a barber, with 20 years of experience, who was unable to get a \$100 grant to start a shop because he had not taken a six months' barbering course on his discharge from the service of the country.

Tax Exported Savings.

"It was simply in order that I may possibly be able to do something for the returned men that I allowed my name to go to nomination," he said.

Canon Hinchliffe suggested, as a means of raising special revenues for the extra cost of the returned men's legislation, that the savings of those who came to this Province and made a stake should be called upon to contribute handsomely before the moneys are taken back to China, Japan or other lands.

The Demon Rum

"I want to be quite square and honest, I am not a teetotaler. I use a little wine for my stomach sake, and I must admit that several times in the past two years I have been under the painful necessity of obtaining a prescription," said Canon Hinchliffe amid applause.

He claimed that the referendum question adopted by the people was the most knotty ever submitted.

"By the time the proper law is passed the members of the Legislature will have fully earned two years' indemnity."

"If you have any respect for the candidates who appear on the public platform, I beg of you, do not ask them for their intention on this matter, it is too great a question."

"All we can do is to promise our best to make such a law as will put an end to what you saw last year, when respectable citizens, such as myself, had to get a prescription when we did not really need it," he said as the audience laughed.

A Partial Party Man

"I used to play a game called stud-poker, and believe me, stud-poker has nothing on politics," said the speaker, explaining that so long as the Conservatives are in power.



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TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

Encouraged by its apparent success in preventing British assistance from reaching Poland Great Britain's "council of action" has demanded resumption of trade with Russia. But its programme on this occasion has been forestalled by an announcement by the Prime Minister to the effect that the Cabinet has decided to draft an agreement to carry out the July arrangements and submit it to the Russian Government in a few days. In other words Mr. Lloyd George has been able to wear down the very definite objections held by several members of his Cabinet towards a course of this sort. It must be taken to mean also that he has won his point in the face of hostility in financial circles in London and the grudging attitude of French diplomats. Nevertheless there was nothing to be gained by refusing commercial intercourse on the ground that the word of Moscow could not be depended upon. Recognition of the Soviet does not signify approval. And until the Russian people agree to replace what must now be accepted as its governing institution with something more in keeping with Western democracy the rest of Europe could do much worse than assist in restoring business relationships. It is obvious that peace cannot come to Russia as long as she feels that the rest of the world regards her as an outcast among the nations. And in spite of the fact that her Soviet regime has earned for her the disapproval of every decent state, a resumption of trade will put Moscow on trial and demonstrate to the world in general just how much faith may be placed in Bolshevik undertakings.

BOWSERISMS.

At least it must be said of Canon Hinchliffe that he is infusing into his Bowser candidature a collection of interesting novelties in the way of campaign argument. Not the least amusing is his treatment of the Asiatic question. His partial solution of municipal and provincial financing difficulties would involve the taxation of every Oriental who had succeeded in making a stake in the country to the point that he would henceforward hesitate before leaving his native land. It is refreshing to observe some of the views propounded by Mr. Bowser's candidates, all kinds of sails to catch all kinds of breezes. The people remember how the Leader of the Opposition as Premier and Attorney-General of the Province made things nice for Bill and Dan and Pat and the army of speculators. They know he does not mean to take anything away from anybody, even that which they seem to have. He works the other way.

KILLING AN INDUSTRY.

According to The Toronto World the increase in freight rates has practically closed the eastern market to British Columbia lumber mills. Southern pine already has ousted our own fir which was being offered at twelve to fifteen dollars per thousand less than the high prices of last Spring. Under the new schedule it costs twenty-seven dollars to carry a thousand feet of lumber from the Pacific Coast to Toronto. In other words British Columbia fir now offering at fifty dollars per thousand is not able to hold its own because out of the selling price more than fifty per cent. is absorbed by freight costs and only twenty-three dollars remain for the mills and commissions. The natural corollary is idle establishments and unemployment. The Toronto dispatch to which we refer is a striking com-

mentary upon the memorable interview which Mr. Hanna gave to one of the Eastern newspapers after a recent visit to British Columbia. On that particular occasion he was discussing the pending application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for increased rates, and he declared that he had discussed the subject with many prominent members of Western Boards of Trade whose practically unanimous concern had been lest the railways should not get increases sufficiently large, not any suggestion that their requests should be denied. Mr. Hanna was altogether too general in his references, however, to provide any clue to the origin of such an extraordinary attitude in the West. In the meantime the country stands the cost of unemployment and the increased revenue for the railways.

PATIENCE NEEDED.

There is truth in the suggestion that the solvency of the municipalities is as important as the solvency of the Province. But the difficulties with which the municipalities and the Province are confronted to-day might have been avoided if the Bowser Government had even attempted to finance wisely when it became obvious that an over-indulgence in civic speculation would have the same effect upon the municipal treasuries as the wild and reckless programme of expenditure which wrecked the credit of the Province. The time to act with immediate benefit was in 1915; but the friends of the party in power and the Government itself were too busy looking after privileged interests and the party machine to interfere with the outflow of the people's money. Thus, when the present Administration assumed office it found a little over fifty thousand dollars in the treasury and an immediate demand for the payment of four million dollars in satisfaction of liabilities and deficits left by the Bowser regime. Nevertheless, British Columbia's credit has been restored in a little more than three years. But would it have been any benefit to the municipalities in the long run if the present Government had agreed to share its revenue and allowed provincial bonds to remain in disfavor with the financial world? No reasonable minded individual will argue to the contrary. Now that the finances of the Province are in a healthier condition, however, the policy of robbing Peter to pay Paul—for that is what it amounts to in the mind of the taxpayer—may be possible of adoption without danger to the more important public liability.

CONSTANTINE'S RETURN.

King Constantine's return to Greece would be regarded with positive disfavor by Great Britain and France. It is not enough for the new Prime Minister to inform the Entente that the exiled monarch is more pro-Greek than pro-German. His "holiday" in Switzerland has not changed the man who was prevented from leading Greece into dishonor and calamity by that magnificent patriot Venizelos. The former King is a militarist and Premier Rallis announces the fact. On that account alone the Grecians themselves would do well to weigh the possible consequences of Saturday's elections. It is true that the electorate decided that it had had enough of Venizelos. But the day may not be far distant when it will regret its decision. In the meantime it should be remembered that the return of King Constantine would be tantamount to the re-enthronement of Prussianism in the Balkans. Can Greece and Europe afford it?

ONE VETERAN BODY.

Until the men who fought in the late and previous wars agree to sink their differences and band themselves together in one nation-wide organization their usefulness to themselves and to the country at large may not reach its proper level. Half a dozen national societies with aims and objects differing only in the smallest particulars tend to create factional differences and prejudices which permit of comparatively easy exploitation by those whose concern for public welfare is usually smothered in political expediency. Men

who have fought for the Empire have more than an average right to a voice in the affairs of the country; but its volume and effect will be measured by the harmony produced. At the same time there is no reason why the movement now under way should not bring about a successful merger.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Canada's potato crop for this year bids fair to eclipse that of last year by thirteen million bushels. But there must be no price ramp next Spring.

It has been publicly stated in Vancouver that there are six hundred drug addicts in British Columbia. Another argument for a much more rigid policy of distribution and sale.

No matter what may have been the circumstances in which the Rev. Spracklin found himself the slayer of an offender against the law, a Minister of the Gospel should not be permitted to fill the role of a policeman.

Final returns of the votes cast on October 20 constitute another reason why it has been impossible to enforce the British Columbia Prohibition Act. Nearly ninety thousand did not care a rap for the troubles of the Attorney-General.

Captain Bruce Bairnsfather—that genius of the crayon who was able to dissect the emotions of the British Tommy and discover humor amid the blood and muck of the battlefield—says that the capacity of the people of the Motherland to see the funny side of most things will prevent any radical revolutionary movement. Humor is the best safety valve, and there is even plenty of "red" humor in Hyde Park.

OTHER PAPERS' VIEWS

CANADA APPLE LANDS.

(The London Daily Chronicle.)
The autumnal "apple war," which during recent years has taken the place of the Victorian contest about the "big gooseberry," seems to have set in early and with great severity. But neither the 20-ounce Kent apple nor the slightly larger Essex rival comes near the "record." A specimen of Gloria Mundi, a big Herefordshire cooking apple, which weighed 27½ ounces, was sold seven years ago at Covent Garden for sixteen guineas. But the "world's record" for large apples is still held by the variety of Spokane Beauty, a specimen of which, weighing thirty-eight ounces, was exhibited at the first Canadian apples show in 1919. It was grown on rough land in British Columbia without special cultivation.

WAR LOSSES

(The Kingston Record.)
In calculating the losses resulting from the war, the positive facts are bad enough without enlarging them or drawing upon the imagination. The Society for Studying Consequences of the War places the death list at 35,000,000, made up as follows: Killed, 10,000,000; died from epidemics, results of blockades, etc., 5,000,000; fall in birth rate because 50,000,000 men were mobilized for war, 20,000,000. You cannot very well lose what you never had. The loss of the twenty millions who might have been born is about as real as that of a man who might have bought a certain stock at \$50 and then calculated the amount of money he lost when the stock went to 125.

WHERE IT STARTED

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The word "Bungalow" is of Anglo-Indian origin, and was used to designate a small house where Europeans resided. The term became applied to almost any small dwelling of one story, and has of late taken on a peculiar American significance.

WHY

IS & THE SYMBOL FOR THE ENGLISH POUND?
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Inasmuch as the pound sterling was originally referred to by the Latin name libra, it was at first contracted to the letters lb., the usual mark of abbreviation, a dash or line over the letters, being used to signify the contracted form. In dotting the "i," a careless or rapid writer would make the dot more or less in the form of a dash or short line. Thus lb. came to have two strokes or dashes—one for the abbreviation and one to represent the dot over the "i." In the course of time the "i" was entirely dropped, and the contraction became "lb." but the two strokes were retained. This form of abbreviation, however, was found to interfere with the symbol for the pound weight (lb.) which had only one dash to denote the fact that it had been shortened, so the "b" was omitted where the mark meant pound sterling. The two dashes or strokes were, however, perpetuated and the £ with its crosses is now known all over the world as the symbol of the English pound sterling.

Little Freddy (seeing two humped camel for the first time)—"Grandpa, who sat on that camel and denied it?"

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PRO-CONSTANTINE EVENTS IN ATHENS

(Continued from page 1.)

Wild Parade

As night settled over the city the streets were resounding with yells and shouts and pistol and rifle shots. Gangs of soldiers walked through the city tooting horns and blowing whistles. The wild parade continued until late in the evening.

Former Premier Venizelos left the city secretly today for Nice. The Greek yacht Narcissus was waiting for him and was escorted by three British war vessels.

Prisoners in jails have been released. Constantine
London, Nov. 15.—Ex-King Constantine, interviewed by the correspondent of the London Times at Lucerne, declared he would not return to the Greek throne except by mandate of the Greek people in a plebiscite. He desired in this way, he said, to prove to the Allies how Venizelos had misjudged the feelings of Greece. He hinted that if one Ministry was not welcome to the Entente he would choose another, as above all he wanted a united and prosperous people.

Constantine asserted that he had always been pro-British, although misapprehensions had made him appear to be contrary.

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

HOROSCOPE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1920.
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This is not a favorable day, according to astrology. Mercury rules strongly for evil and the Sun is adverse.

The evening is a most inopportune time to associate with superiors who may have it in their power to bestow favors. It is particularly unlucky for those who seek appointments to political office.

Newspapers and magazines come under a planetary government making for serious criticisms of public men.

A year of great activity on the part of publishers is prognosticated. Writers will have many opportunities to gain fame.

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common, but all presentiments and fears should be instantly combated.

The next few months will bring supreme exigencies to the nation, the seers prophesy, and he who dwells in the White House must meet many severe tests of statesmanship.

Internal conditions in the United States will reach unexpected crises in the Spring when there will be general readjustments that improve national affairs.

While it has been prophesied that women leaders of really great ability would rise at this time, the stars are held to presage fame for those not already widely known.

This should be a helpful way for whatever is constructive and progressive. There are indications of a general movement toward upbuilding of permanent institutions. Surgeons and dentists are believed to prosper while this configuration lasts.

Again startling new discoveries are foreshadowed. The power of spiritual forces will be demonstrated in a scientific way.

Progress that is exceedingly rapid is forecast for all that pertains to national development. Education will benefit greatly.

Persons whose birthdate it is may have rather an eventful year. They should be careful about contracts or leases.

Children born on this day should be carefully trained in all practical lines of work. They are likely to be gifted but not natural money-makers.

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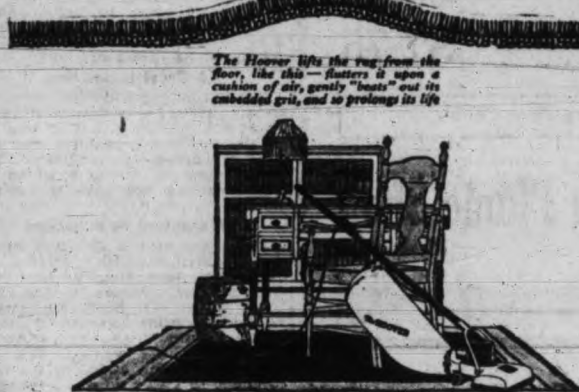
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SPEAKERS HEARD BY WARD SIX ELECTORS

M. P. Gordon, Conservative Candidate and J. J. Shallcross Again Speak

M. P. Gordon, Conservative candidate for Saanich, and J. J. Shallcross addressed the electors of Ward Six in the West Saanich Hall last night. Most of the discussion related to the question of government aid to municipalities, both speakers dealing with this point which has been adopted by the Opposition as one of its planks.

Arguments were advanced by both speakers pretty much along the same lines they adopted at the Ward Seven meeting on the previous evening, in which they severely criticized the Government because it could not see its way to accede to the demand made frequently by the municipalities that certain of the revenues collected by the government in the municipalities be handed over for the latter's use.

Both speakers again took credit to themselves for having approached Mr. Bowser in this matter, and inducing him to make the question of municipal aid one of the strongest Conservative planks.

Mr. Gordon, in the course of his address, contended that Mr. Bowser was stronger in the political field today than he had ever been, and he referred to the regime of the Oliver Government as a chapter of political depravity. As in his previous address he went into the various details of the alleged short-comings of the Government. The resources of the country were great and all it wanted was capital and population to make British Columbia one of the finest places in the world to live in.

Councillor Brooks was chairman of the meeting and he said that the need of roads and their upkeep was very great but that the Government had done little to assist.

MRS. NANCY SHARP, of Los Angeles, who says she received one of the greatest surprises of her life when Tanlac completely restored her health after she had almost lost hope of ever getting well. Delays she suffered for twelve long years.



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58¢

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Zephyr Marshmallow Cream, one-pound cartons at.....

27¢

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7¢

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20¢

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13¢

King's Cream Whipper, regular 25c. At, each.....

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Held Up at Point of Automatic Pistol While Assaultants Take Contents of Till

While making up his cash for the night, Sam, a Chinese store proprietor at 808 Humboldt Street, shortly after ten o'clock last evening, was surprised by two hold-up men, who detached with the contents of the till.

Sam was counting his takings for the day, when two young men appeared, one asking for a package of chewing gum, for which he tendered a 25-cent piece. While in the act of making change for the silver tendered Sam was ordered to hold up his hands, and turned to see one of the men holding a wicked looking automatic pistol at his head.

The other man ran around the end of the counter and scooped up the contents of the till, in all some \$73, the pair then bolting for the door and running east along Humboldt Street, and were soon out of sight. Constables Bishop and Burnett attended at the first call for police, and were afterwards relieved by the detectives who took over the case. Detective Sergeant Carlow, with Detectives Heather and Macdonald investigated the occurrence.

The two young men are described from the meagre information secured by the astonished proprietor as being about twenty-five to twenty-six years of age and dark complexioned. One man is described as twenty-five to twenty-six years of age, five feet five or six inches in height, clean shaven, dark haired and complexioned, wearing a dark suit and cap, with a light colored ulster, while the other nothing was learned behind the fact that he was apparently five feet six or seven inches in height, dark and wearing a dark colored ulster of some six inches in barrel length, probably a 38 calibre pistol. The money taken was in tens, fives and bills of lesser denomination, while the bandits in getting away, dropped a quantity of small silver on the floor.

ORFORD ADDRESSES

SAANICH ELECTORS

Soldier-Labor-Farmer Candidate Outlines Platform of His Party

Capt. Malcolm A. Orford, the Soldier-Labor-Farmer candidate for Saanich, addressed a meeting at Royal Oak Hall last evening. Despite the inclement weather there was an attendance of between fifty and sixty when the chairman, L. G. Hibberd, opened the meeting. Mr. Orford delivered an attack alleging the lack of a constructive policy on the part of the Government and also pointed out that neither the Liberal or Conservative candidate for the constituency had any platform of any kind in the present campaign.

The candidate carefully outlined the platform of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer party in this election, and went fully into each plank. Referring to the criticisms of Mr. Pauline on his platform, Mr. Orford pointed out that up to the present time all Mr. Pauline had done was to criticize, but had made no attempt of any kind to put forward any platform which would better the present unsatisfactory condition of affairs in the Province.

Mr. Orford drew particular attention to the fact that the majority of the planks in the platform of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer Party were not only constructive but in a short space of time would be a source of revenue to the Province as well as finding employment for a large number of men.

C. K. Christian, Soldier-Labor-Farmer candidate for Victoria, addressed the meeting and stated that his party stood for sane, clean legislation which would benefit all classes of the community.

Challenges Statement. Mrs. Sutton, of the Ladies Auxiliary to the G. A. U. V., delivered a very able address. After making a couple of payments under the decree Mrs. Wilkerson, it is stated, announced his intention of not complying further with it, whereupon Mrs. Wilkerson proceeded to issue execution on her judgment.

Mr. Wilkerson immediately assigned, it is stated, for the benefit of his creditors, a portion of the property of the business since defendant commenced business.

The creditors have all been paid off—some \$14,000—with the exception of some \$4,000 or under, the certain creditors who appear from the evidence to have tacitly agreed not to press the balance of their claims, hence the assignment continues.

It was shown in the evidence that the business has made very substantial profit.

The judgment therefore holds that the assignment being in force, the goods and chattels assigned to the assignee by Mr. Wilkerson are still vested in the assignee, and that Mr. Wilkerson should be proceeded against by Mrs. Wilkerson in another direction than through the assignment.

His Lordship remarked, on examining the Government tax returns, that Mr. Wilkerson appeared to be a rich man.

H. A. Maclean, K.C., appeared for plaintiff and Oscar Bass for defendants.

ACTION OVER WILL

Court Asked to Interpret Will of Late Mrs. E. B. Marvin

In Supreme Court this morning the question of the construction of the will of the late Mrs. E. B. Marvin came on for hearing again before Mr. Justice Macdonald.

Mrs. Marvin made a will in 1912 in Los Angeles, under which she gave practically everything to her daughter, Grace, except her two-thirds interest in the business of E. B. Marvin & Co.

She gave to her adopted daughter, Florence, the sum of \$1,000 for life. Her business she divided between her grandson, Walter Adams, and her daughter, Grace. She subsequently came to Victoria and made a codicil to her will by which she gave her interest in the business to her son-in-law Frank, and grandson Walter.

The question before the court is whether she revoked her disposition of the business under her will so far as her daughter is concerned, having since the will and before her death, and the making of the codicil, handed over everything else to her daughter. H. A. Maclean, K.C., and Frank Higgins, K.C., appear for the executor and residuary legatees, and Sir C. H. Tupper, K.C., and Oscar Bass for the Messrs. Adams.

The case is proceeding.

"Why Does Victoria
Need Chamber
of Commerce?"

A large number of men are interested in the new Victoria Chamber of Commerce. They are well disposed towards it. They want to see it go. But deep down in their hearts they are sceptical. They are asking themselves: "Why does Victoria need a Chamber of Commerce?"

"What can this Chamber of Commerce do for Victoria?" "Who is going to run the Chamber of Commerce?" "How is the Victoria Chamber of Commerce going to be financed?"

"Is the Chamber of Commerce going to be permanent?" Through the courtesy of The Times, these five questions will be discussed, one each day, in these columns.

In the first place, why does Victoria need a Chamber of Commerce? Because every city needs one to do the things which the municipality is not called upon to do, and to help the municipality do the things that must be done. There is no organization of this kind. That is proven by the fact that 3,000 or more cities in the country are maintaining such organizations. Better still, the fact that Victoria herself has been trying to maintain a Board of Trade for some years past shows the need of one in Victoria. If the city did not need it, its most earnest workers would not have tried to maintain one.

United Best Thought.

The Chamber of Commerce in its modern form, and that is what Victoria is getting, unites the best thought of the community and translates that thought into action. It takes in all classes and creeds, gets the opinions of individuals, groups and the masses, and having found what the city needs, opens the way to securing them. This is called creating the spirit of enterprise. Once a city obtains this spirit it will never allow it to die out. The modern Chamber of Commerce, with its efficient way of doing things, so divides the work that no man need give a lot of time to the Chamber of Commerce work, and what time he does give is so prolific of result that enthusiasm is quickly created. The Chamber of Commerce is a well-organized Chamber of Commerce result in an immediate and ultimate benefit to the community. The merchant, manufacturer, the doctor, the lawyer, the thinker, the city realize this. By making it a better city in which to live, it attracts business and adds to its population. The youth of the city, realizing the advantages of the town, stay there and continue to expand the business of that town. But there is more to be done, and the 3,000 odd Chambers of Commerce are trying to do it. More than a score of cities, organized by the Canadian City Bureau, are doing it successfully.

To Rouse Citizens.

That extra thing to be done is to rouse the city and create a vision of what the city should be, and to provide the forces for carrying out that vision. And in realizing the vision in whole or in part, the entire city is benefited, its people live, think, exist in a higher plane. The higher the plane, the more numerous the wants. Hence, business is improved, the standard of living exists to serve the wants of a given community. Some settlements in Africa have treble the number of people in Victoria, yet the business of that settlement is probably less than one-tenth that of Victoria. Why? Because the wants of the people are fewer. Create a happy, contented people, who learn of the good things of this life, and you increase the wants of the people. And business must satisfy these wants or the people will go elsewhere.

The modern Chamber of Commerce offers the machinery for a sane, equalized progress toward these better things. That is why Victoria needs it; that is why the leading men of Victoria have undertaken the task of providing the city with the most modern, efficient form of Chamber of Commerce in existence to-day.

To-morrow—"What Can a Chamber of Commerce Do for Victoria?"

Y. M. C. A. LEADER
AT CANADIAN CLUB

Luncheon To-morrow for General Secretary of National Council

"Developing Canada's Human Resources" is the subject chosen by Chas. W. Bishop in his address to the Canadian Club to-morrow at the Empress Hotel at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Bishop has had an extensive experience in connection with Canadian troops during the war, both in Canada and overseas. The organization with which he is identified in common with others of a similar nature rendered most valuable service to the troops in the late war.

General Sir Arthur Currie, speaking at Toronto on August 31, 1919, said: "I am willing to stand on every platform in Canada and testify to the work of the Y. M. C. A. in the field. It was a wonderful organization and played a very wonderful part in keeping up the morale of the troops."

Mr. Bishop's address will be based upon his many years' contact with Canada's human resources, and more particularly upon his experience in connection with Canada's troops both at home and overseas. The members of the Women's Canadian Club are cordially invited to be present at 12.30 p.m., on Friday to hear the address.

LEAVE GREEK SERVICE:

Washington, Nov. 18.—M. Tamados, Minister-Resident and-Councillor, and Kiriakos Gollas, first secretary of the Greek Legation here, announced to-day that they had submitted their resignations as a result of the Greek elections in which the Venizelos Government was defeated.

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But One Man Has Had His Appointment Cancelled

Matthew Murphy of South Fort George who has been acting as a Justice of the Peace has had his appointment cancelled by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, according to an announcement here to-day.

New Justices of the Peace appointed this week are: James Sloman, of Tofino; George Boudier, of Three Forks; John Fitzhugh Burke and Arthur Richard Hamilton, of Pouce Coupe.

Capt. R. D. Davies, secretary of the G.W.V.A., Vancouver, has been made a notary public. Other new notaries are: Angus Hugh MacIsaac, of Keefe; William John Litley, of Houston, and John Harold Lloyd Morgan, of Vancouver.

FRENCH MUSIC ON

CLUB'S PROGRAMME

Ladies' Musical Club Heard Popular Artists at Yesterday's Concert

The music and poetry of France furnished the happy inspiration for the enjoyable programme given under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, and it is to be regretted that the size of the audience was not commensurate with the attractiveness of the programme.

Two pianoforte numbers by Miss Marjorie Broley opened the programme and provided opportunity for the display of this promising young artist's virile playing and strong technique. Her second number, "Paladine" (Laurens) earned a well-deserved encore. The other instrumentalist was Vernon Smith, a rising young violinist, who is not unfamiliar to the local concert platform although new to Municipal Club audiences. For so young a player his work is excellent, showing smooth tone and nice bowing, his interpretation of the popular London-derry Air was repeated in response to an encore.

Miss Eva Hart and R. B. MacKenzie again proved their popularity. Each sang two groups of French chansons, which were warmly received. Madame Sanderson-Mongin charmed her audience with masterly readings of Haraucourt's little descriptive poem "Le Vent" and Coppée's "To A Marquise," for which the incidental music was arranged and artistically rendered by Mrs. A. J. Gibson, whose return in the capacity of accompanist was hailed with applause.

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Finds Skeleton.—The skeleton of a man was discovered by J. W. de Bald while he was digging in his vegetable garden at his residence, 308 Beach Drive, on Tuesday evening. The skeleton was in a good state of preservation and it is thought that it is the remains of one of the Indians who used to live in that district.

In Police Court.—The shortest session of the local police court for some time occurred today when a joint charge against three Chinese merchants, the sole case, was withdrawn. J. Clay appeared for Messrs. Charlie Hope & Co., Ah Wing & Co., and Charlie Chee & Co., all of whom were charged with failure to pay the Dominion Government Sales Tax as required. Mr. Clay stated that the three had now consented to do as requested, and the prosecution was withdrawn.

Loyal Order of Moose.—In spite of the inclement weather and other attractions, a fair number put in an appearance for the usual bi-weekly dance and whist drive held under the auspices of Victoria Lodge 1290 in the K. of P. Hall last evening. Those who faced the elements were well rewarded by having a good time. A fine showing was made in the whist, and \$2 full tables set out for the valuable prizes, which were finally awarded as follows: Ladies, first, Mrs. M. Morley; second, Mrs. R. Renzie; Mrs. J. Emery third. Gentle first, T. Jones; second, H. B. Pike; M. Gough, third. The supper provided was of the usual high standard and was thoroughly enjoyed. During the course of the evening it was announced that a "masquerade" dance would be held on January 8, and that a Christmas tree with lots of fun would be provided by the social committee for the Moose Kiddles on Thursday, December 23. Particulars will be given shortly through the press and lodge meetings. In future the Moose Lodge will meet in the K. of P. Hall instead of the B. O. O. P. Hall as formerly.

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Times Latest



Sporting News



Americans Hope to Bring Back Famous Tennis Cup

Capt. Sam Hardy Says If They Fail It Will Be Because They Have Met Better Team; Will Have No Alibis

"We are confident, but we make no predictions. We hope to win the Davis Cup, but if we are defeated it will be because we have met a better team. We will have no alibis to offer if we fail as we have the two best men in America, Tilden and Johnston, to contest the series at Auckland, N.Z. Both Tilden and Johnston are now in the top of their form."

This was the final statement made by Samuel Hardy, captain of the United States Davis Cup team, just before he stepped aboard the liner Niagara at the Outer Docks yesterday afternoon, bound for the Antipodes.

Opponents Unknown.

Capt. Hardy explained that the Americans did not know who they would meet at Auckland. All they knew was that it would be an Australian team, the personnel of which need not be named until twenty-four hours before the first match. Capt. Hardy expects that Brookings and Patterson will both be on the team. When questioned about the twenty-one-year-old phenomena, Hawkes, the American captain said that he did not think he would play owing to a weak heart. Hawkes, from all accounts, is a wonder, having defeated Brookings with ease. Whether Hawkes will be able to go into the Davis Cup games depends upon medical advice.

The American Cup team will limber up at Honolulu during the stay of the Niagara. Exhibition games have been arranged and the people there are anxious to see Tilden and Johnston in action. The team will reach Auckland in about three weeks and will then have a similar period to get in shape for the first game, which will be played at the New Zealand city on December 21.

May Go to Australia.

If the Americans win the Davis Cup they may make a tour of Australia. Tilden and Johnston are both anxious to get back to their business, as they have already spent nine months of this year battling for the big honors in the tennis world, and an amateur cannot be expected to get very far in the world under those conditions. Capt. Hardy plans to make a tour of the Orient before returning. On the way back Tilden and Johnston will proceed direct to San Francisco. Johnston's home is in California. While Tilden comes from the East.

Victorians will watch with interest the progress of the Americans in the Antipodes.

UNFAIR FARES.

Passenger: "Three pounds ten?—but, my good man, I don't want to buy Glasgow, I only want to go there."—London Mail.

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McCleave Stable IS COMPETING AT BIG PORTLAND SHOW

Portland, Nov. 18.—Boulder, R. L. English's jumper from Pasadena, Calif., took first place in the heavyweight hunters' class in the horse show performance at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition last night. Boulder repeated a few moments later in the event of the evening, the five foot performance class.

Little Miss Doris McCleave of Victoria, B.C., in this event won fourth place.

WANT CANUCK HOCKEY TEAMS IN NEW YORK

Scheme to Have Ottawas and Canadiens Play Series Next Month

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—The Ottawa hockey team, champions of the world and holders of the Stanley Cup, will probably pay a visit to New York next month and play a series of games against one of the other clubs in the National League, likely the Canadiens. A number of prominent Canadians, now in New York, have arranged to stage a series of matches there and are eager to have the champion Ottawas go over and give an exhibition of their speed and skill. A wire was received yesterday from a former Ottawa hockeyist, who is now in New York. The suggestion is that the Ottawas should go down for a week and play three games for a purse which is to be put up by the New York people. The Ottawas have replied signifying their willingness to go if satisfactory arrangements can be made and if permission can be secured from the National Hockey League. Of course, the conditions will stipulate that the Ottawas should send down their regular 1921 team. There will be no commuting and no postponing about it. The New York people wish to see Ottawa at full strength and have emphasized this.

Will Come West

They first suggested that the games should take place in January, but the Ottawa Club replied that they could not play while the National League championship race was under way, and that they could not enter into an agreement to play at New York in the spring as they hope to win the National League championship and go west to play the Pacific Coast finalists for the Stanley Cup. Hence it is likely that arrangements will be completed in a few days and that Eddie Gerard and his teammates will give Old Broadway the once over shortly after the wintry weather sets in. The series would be beneficial inasmuch as it would help condition the Ottawas for the gruelling campaign they will have to undergo in the National Hockey League this winter. When the annual meeting of the National League takes place next week, permission will be requested for the proposed series at New York. The games would likely take place at St. Nicholas rink.

The Ottawa people interested in the proposition are eager to get the World's Champions down and have promised a rousing welcome to the Senators. A meeting of the Ottawa players will be held early next week for the purpose of discussing the proposition.

EASTERNERS BACK UP PATRICK'S CHARGES

Ottawa Citizens Says Gordon Keats Accepted Contract With N.H.A.

While the Patricks have not deemed the time opportune for presenting evidence in support of their sensational charges against the Alberta "Big Four" League, easterners are not so backward. The Patricks have been anxious to have a grand jury appointed to take the testimony of certain players under oath. This, however, has been refused by the Alberta government. The amateur union of Alberta has also refused to act.

The Ottawa Citizen commenting on the charges has the following to say: Say Keats Dickered

"Frank Patrick's charge against the Alberta Big Four will not come as a great surprise. Last year there were rumors that the brand of amateurism, practised in the Alberta League, was far from genuine and this suspicion was apparently borne out by the results of the negotiations of the National League clubs with some of the western players. One in particular, Gordon Keats, accepted a contract and transportation from the St. Patricks, but never used it, the explanation being that he was intercepted when on his way to the depot at Edmonton and offered a bigger sum than the St. Patricks could give him. St. Patricks raised their bid, but the Westerners boasted again and Keats stayed at Edmonton. "Mickey McKay, who is back with the Patricks, is said to have received a handsome reward for his work at Calgary, while Briden and many other players are also reported to have violated their promises, made at the time of their reinstatement. Patrick's bombshell will probably wake up those in the Amateur Athletic Union and may cause the governing body to do a little investigating on its own hook. Patrick accused the Alberta Big Four of fraud and put it right up to the attorney-general of the province to investigate, and the Pacific Coast League president, in going this far, must have the goods."

ENGLISH RUGBY RESULTS

London, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Associated Press).—Rugby Union championship games played yesterday resulted as follows:
Bury, 34; Hampshire, 5.
Warwickshire, 17; North Midlands, 1.
Union League results:
Bramley, 6; Leigh, 2.
Salford, 5; St. Helen's Recreation, 13.
Halifax, 5; Dewsbury, 2.
Brighton defeated Millwall 10 to 6 in a Southern League (soccer) game yesterday.

LOOKS AS IF GOLF IS BECOMING ARBITER OF FASHIONS FOR WOMEN

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Is it possible that golf is to become the arbiter of women's fashions? Recently a young woman was heard to order a tailor-made tweed skirt, which she declared emphatically must not be of a width which would allow her to take a pace between her feet of more than twenty-two inches. "But surely this is on the narrow side," exclaimed the tailor in dismay. "It cannot be helped," said the young woman, firmly. "My golf professional says that in my instance I keep my feet too far apart when driving. It is all right when he is there to guide me, but when I am playing on my own account I cannot judge the distance. If I have my skirt exactly twenty-two inches wide I cannot possibly go wrong."

ONTARIO POLO TEAM WIN AT NEW YORK

Canadian Horses Are Missed at Big Show; Cleaned Up Last Year

New York, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press).—The third day of the horse show was a big day for Canada in as much as the Ontario polo team won last night from a team representing the various polo clubs of New York. The Ontario team, composed of Canadian polo players, who were in the metropolis for the show, conceded its opponents one goal and won by the score of 5 1/2 to 6, having to forfeit one-half goal through a foul.

In Semi-Finals. The team was made up of J. C. Sherman, E. W. Topping and A. C. Grannis. The visitors of to-night's match will figure in the semi-finals Friday.

The absence of the usual number of Canadian entries at the show this year, due to recent regulations at the depot at Edmonton and offered a Canadian residents in New York. Canadian-bred horses have hitherto been taking their full share of honors.

CALIFORNIA SOCCER TEAM TO PLAY HERE

Stanford University, California, Nov. 17.—The offer from Vancouver for a series of four soccer games with a California team in British Columbia during the Christmas holidays has been accepted. H. W. Maloney, coach at Stanford University, said yesterday. Maloney said he expected to take a picked team of Stanford and University of California soccer players to British Columbia for games to be played at Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo. The Vancouver club has guaranteed \$1,500 to the California team.

LADY BASKETBALLERS ARE MEETING TO-NIGHT

A meeting of the ladies' league in the Sunday School Basketball series, held in the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 8 o'clock. All ladies interested are requested to attend. The lady delegates from each school represented should be present at this meeting as entries will be received and a schedule drawn up as soon as possible.

THINK AMERICAN WILL LIFT BRITISH TITLE

London, Nov. 18.—Harry Vardon and Ted Ray, on their return from their American trip, have both expressed the opinion that Chick Evans and Bobby Jones are the best amateurs in the United States, Jones being the better. "Twenty American amateurs are certain to visit England next year," Vardon told a reporter, "and our amateur championship will assuredly go to the States."

P.C.H.A. MEETING TO ARRANGE SCHEDULE

Official action in preparation for the opening of the 1920-21 season of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association will take place this week, when the main body of business before the league, but other points, caused by the recent activities of the Canadian outlaw circuit, will come in for discussion and decision. The Coast body also will announce its course of action in event any more players in the P. C. H. A. ranks jump to the Livingstone organization.

COCHRANE WANTED BOUT IN ENGLAND BUT LOST

New York, Nov. 18.—Charles B. Cochrane, English theatrical manager and co-promoter with Tex Richard and William A. Brady for the forthcoming Dempsey-Carpenter boxing bout to decide the world's heavyweight championship, was a passenger yesterday on the steamship Adriatic sailing for England. Before his departure Mr. Cochrane said he had hoped to stage the big fight in England but that he agreed in the decision of his two United States co-promoters. "I shall return early in 1921 to help arrange details for the fight," he added, "or sooner if my services are needed."

BENNY LEONARD HANDS KELLY AWFUL BEATING

New York, Nov. 18.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, secured a technical decision over Harlem Eddie Kelly in the fifth round of a scheduled 12-round contest at the Commonwealth Sporting Club, here last night. The referee stopped the bout after Leonard had severely punished the local boxer.

MAN O'WAR'S DUTY

New York, Nov. 18.—Man o'War, the great racehorse, will not become a public station, as was recently announced by his owner, Samuel Hildle, but will be turned over to Walter M. Jeffords, who will breed him only to his own mares. This announcement to-day caused disappointment to many well known breeders.

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WHOLESALE FORM FOUR-CLUB LEAGUE

The Wholesale Grocers' Football League was organized last night with four teams entered, known by the euphonious titles of Wilson's Willy Warriors, Lester's Lightning Lancers, Rithet's Romping Rovers and Kelly's Klassy Kombination. Several other applications were received for entry into the league, but it was decided to keep it as a strictly Wholesale league. Wilson's Willy Warriors will represent the combined football forces of Wilson Bros. and B. Wilson & Co.

The first league game will be played on November 27. A handsome silver cup has been donated as trophy. S. J. Marshall, W. Erickson, Patterson and Lumsden were appointed a committee to draw up a schedule and to select the referees. S. G. B. de Mesquita was elected president of the league, and J. R. Macintyre secretary-treasurer, and an arbitration committee was also elected to consist of H. Macklin, of Simon Lester's, A. B. MacLean, of R. P. Rithet's, H. L. Whittaker, of Kelly Douglas, and G. Whiston of Wilson Bros.

PROPOSE TO LENGTHEN BIG LEAGUE SCHEDULES

New York, Nov. 18.—When the major leagues hold their annual meetings in February, they will consider a proposition to lengthen each team's schedule to 165 games. Instead of 154 as heretofore, it was learned to-day.

Proponents of the plan argued that the season would be unduly lengthened by the proposed change.

CONCEDED FALL TO SAVE BREAKING ARM

Spokane, Nov. 18.—After Frank Lamarque, Saskatoon, Sask., and Tom Grant, Spokane, each had won a fall on Tuesday night in their catch-as-catch-can match, they wrestled 46 minutes without a fall and the bout was declared a draw. Lamarque took the first fall in 33 minutes with a head scissors and armlock, and Grant the second in one hour and ten minutes, when Lamarque conceded it to save his arm. The men are lightweight.

WHEN THE BIRDS FLY SOUTH

The birds that grace this country are divided into three kinds—the residents, the winter visitors, and the summer visitors. And when the leaves begin to fall and the cold days set in, it is the summer visitors who migrate to the warmer climes. If you are a lover of birds, and watch them when the Summer is over, you will see that they seem to hold long consultations, then about a dozen of them fly off together and fly away. The older birds always lead, probably because they have "gone south" before and can show the younger birds the way. Although these little creatures have so far to go, they seldom, if ever, lose their way; some overpowering instinct leads them on. When they are tired they rest on the passing ships, for they know that here there are sometimes stray crumbs for tired little birds. Then when they are rested, off they fly again to where the sun shines, and there they stay until the Winter is over, and not until the Spring do they return.—Answers.

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Great credit must be given to the casting director, producing director or whoever it was who selected the players to fill the important character roles in "The Red Line," the photodrama starring Frank Mayo now being shown at the Columbia Theatre. These character parts are exquisitely drawn by the author, Holman Day, and the players have transformed them into living reality. Jean Hersholt, who plays the role of the father, is the actor who created the leading role of Mansion in "The Servant in the House." He also has an enviable record of several years' brilliant work with Ruth Stonehouse, Mae Murray, Triangle and with other important stars and producers. Paul Weigel, who appears at Father Leclair, an Arcadian cure, has played with Mrs. Flske, Leo Dietrichstein and other stage luminaries, and in the films he has played leading roles in "DuBarry," "The Only Road," "Under Crimson Skies" and other special productions. Carl Formes, the sterling actor who plays the role of the wandering minstrel, was himself a producer of drama and opera in London and San Francisco. He played the role of the principal roles in "Old Heidelberg" for Fine Arts and has supported the most prominent stars.

VARIETY

Nothing was too daring for the Vitaphone forces to attempt, nothing too difficult for them to achieve in preparing and visualizing "Trumpet Island," a special production. To begin with, they had wonderful material to work on. The original story was written by that master of plot and expression, Gouverneur Morris, and adapted for picture purposes by Rudolph de Cordova. Then it was edited by Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph Chester to provide any final touches the others might have overlooked. For the utilization of this material for the production of a great motion picture drama, a special all star cast headed by Wallace MacDonald and Marguerite de La Motte was engaged, and the direction placed in charge of Tom Terrie. "Trumpet Island" will be shown at the Variety Theatre again to-day, also the great animal film, "The Lost City."

Robinson: "I hear that the boss is going to employ lady bill-collectors. Jacket: Well, if a woman is as good at collecting money for bills from other men as the boss from her husband, the idea is a good one."

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Royal Victoria—"Passions' Playground."
Dominion—"The Jailbird."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Romanos—"The Figurehead."
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MUCH LAUGHTER AT THE PRINCESS

"The Boss of Z Ranch," by Mildred Page Players, Big Attraction

One of the best plays ever staged in Victoria was offered to an appreciative audience at the Princess Theatre last night by the Mildred Page Players in "The Boss of Z Ranch." For a real good cure of all human ills—and they say a laugh will do it—this play as produced by the local Princess Theatre aggregation, will beyond doubt prove efficacious from the rise to the drop of the curtain. The play is full of the richest humor and the various actors portray their characters to perfection.

To the steady patron of the Princess the question arises as to why they should have reduced their price of admission, but Manager Alden explains that he is anxious to make it possible for everyone in Victoria to enjoy the opportunity of witnessing legitimate productions at popular prices.

In this wonderful play, an old-fashioned comedy flavored with the right degree of pathos, Mr. Sullivan and Miss Berkeley play the comedy parts, which in itself is sufficient guarantee to those who know these favorites that the show is worth many times the price of admission.

Needless to say, Byron Alden and Mildred Page appealed strongly to the audience, their ability being particularly displayed in their respective roles. As usual, their clever acting called forth repeated applause.

As for thrilling effect, the fight between Frank Ellis, who played the villain's part, and the hero, presented by Byron Alden, nothing could be more realistic or exciting. Toney Fadden and Lily Dooley appeared to advantage, as did William Campbell in the part of a Mexican. Arthur Eiton was extremely funny in "I Am the Law."

Altogether the play was well acted and well staged. To all those who are seeking a real good evening of laughter and fun, the Princess can very safely be recommended for the night during the remainder of this week.

ROYAL VICTORIA

After a production and adaptation that required six months of intensive effort on the part of Katherine MacDonald and her studio staff, "Passions' Playground," adapted from the famous story of Monte Carlo, "The Guests of Hercules," by C. N. and



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NEWEST PICTURE OF LOVE
ROMANCE AND ADVENTURE

"THE LOVE FLOWER"

From the Collier's Weekly Story "Black Stock" by Ralph Beach.

ALL NEXT WEEK VARIETY

A. M. Williamson is now ready for showings and will be seen on one of his first runs at the Royal Victoria Theatre, again to-night.

DOMINION PRESENTS "THE JAILBIRD NOW"

Douglas MacLean Stars in
Film for Remainder
of Week

Douglas MacLean, the young screen star of "Pep" and winning personality, will be the attraction at the Dominion for the latter part of the week, starting to-day in his latest Paramount release, "The Jailbird." MacLean, though still a young star, has proved that he possesses what is known in theatrical circles as a universal appeal. He is a family star. Mothers and fathers see in him the ideal youth, brimming over with vim and vigor; the daughter of the family sees in him her ideal beau, and the sons of the household recognize in MacLean a regular fellow. Everyone will enjoy his new picture, "The Jailbird," just as much as they enjoyed the former MacLean pictures, such as "Mary's Ankles" and "Let's Be Fashionable." It is delightfully refreshing, wholesome and highly entertaining. Critics acclaim "The Jailbird" as one of the most original, full of action photoplays since the unforgettable "Twenty-Three and a Half Hours' Leave."

BOHEMIAN OFFERING IS MUSICAL TREAT

"Carnival of Venice" Tops
Pantages Bill of High-Class Vaudeville

The excellent standard of Pantages vaudeville is further maintained by the aggregation of talent occupying the boards this week at the Government Street playhouse.

The outstanding performance is contributed by a party of typical Bohemians in the musical and vocal attraction "Carnival of Venice." In this act, Miss Donatella presents a bevy of gifted Italian instrumentalists and singers who provide a rare treat for music lovers.

Effectively staged in a typical Ruyay setting picturing a Bohemian encampment near Venice, enhanced by colorful costumes, to say nothing of the accomplishments of the artists, it is an act that will appeal strongly to the majority of vaudeville patrons.

Another acceptable act is presented by the Four Fantinos, including the Fantino Sisters, billed as the "World's Famous Gymnasts."

These clever people perform some amazing feats of skill and endurance on the trapeze. The quartette are well-known circus performers who are assured new admirers on the vaudeville stage. As a curtain raiser this act is one of the best.

The best effort of Harry Bussey is undoubtedly his manipulation of the steel guitar. His act is programmed as "Sense and Nonsense" and he puts over a lot of stuff that is bound to amuse. His musical contribution, however, overshadows his other work.

John King and Dave Irwin are laugh purveyors of the blackface variety and their comedy efforts are to be commended. Their act is entitled "Contest of Divorcement" and it is a veritable scream from start to finish.

King in the dual characters of Mr. and Mrs. Salamander Blue is impressive, and his partner can be depended upon to make themselves solid with the audience.

"Pot Pourri" is slated as "Vaudeville's Supreme Novelty." It is a charming tableaux of bird and introduced a clever girl dancer.

Frank Cook and Jean Vernon present "Sister Susie," a comedy offering that is conducive to laughter. "The Door of Death" is the title of the thirteenth episode of the gripping film serial "Trailed by Three," which continues to hold interest as the opening number of the bill.

Pantages show this week is an excellent one and should draw full houses.

EUGENE O'BRIEN AT ROMANO THEATRE

"The Figure Head" Is Story of
'Municipal Election' Contest

That popular young idol of the screen, Eugene O'Brien, comes to the Romano Theatre to-day to set- tle the question of his popularity. "The Figurehead," which shows him as an idling young man about town who is induced to accept a nomination for Mayor of his city, in reality against a saloon keeper who controls the city politically.

What young Sherry Dows (Eugene O'Brien) does not know is that his opponent picked him as a "figurehead" candidate who could be easily beaten, and forced is nomination upon the party leaders, who in reality took orders from the saloon and dance hall man.

The erstwhile idler now shows some of the great qualities that have heretofore been latent in him. In a brutal, elemental fight, stripped of all the veneer covering, avarice and intrigue, he hits out man fashion and carries the day.

Four hundred actors were used in the filming of this spectacular picture. A splendid supporting cast includes Anna Q. Nilsson, Gra Caravan, Edwin Stevens, Joseph Girard, Frances Parker and Kate Price. Robert Ellis directed the production.

Forged \$1 and 10c notes can usually be detected on close examination by faults in the engraving.

DOMINION

To-day, Friday, Saturday

Douglas MacLean

The Star of Pep and Personality in His Latest Superexcellent Production.



Here's a bird who stung a whole town on a fake oil well—and then struck oil. Who broke out of jail and then had to break back in. But who broke into love and never did get out. Funny, snappy, youthful and surprising. The best MacLean yet. Honest! See for yourself.

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FIRST PERFORMANCE IS DUE ON MONDAY

"The Yeomen of the Guard" Will Be Revived By Dramatic Society

"A pretty wit, good sir—mark you, a pretty, pretty wit!"

Thus, unconsciously, did Sir W. S. Gilbert epitomize his own work, and in respect to "The Yeomen of the Guard." Here, in collaboration with that peer of composers, Sir Arthur Sullivan, we have probably the finest opera that was ever written in the English tongue. As a master of metres, Gilbert has shown himself consummate, and as a dealer in quips and paradoxes and ludicrous dilemmas, unrivalled. In the "Yeoman of the Guard" we hear him at his best, and in probably none other of his famous operas did he attain such a pitch of perfection. Even for the music of his opera Gilbert deserves some credit, for the rhythms were frequently his own (as in "I have a Song to Sing, O," in the "Yeoman") and the metres were, in many cases, invented by himself.

In Jack Point we probably have his most lovable character. The strolling jester, with a song on his lips and an anguish of despair in his heart, captivates the hearts of his audience through relays of laughter and tears. Jack Point, the Merryman, as an outstanding character of fiction, is fated to live in the affections of his hearers for all time.

Else, the Strolling Slinger, is altogether a sweet conception, and furnishes an admirable foil for Point. The remaining characters do justice to an altogether charming "ensemble" that rings with jest and pathos, quip and melody. There is a genuine vein of poetry throughout the opera.

In the music, especially the concerted numbers, Sullivan has excelled himself. The scene is laid in the historic tower of London, in the romantic, rollicking times of Henry VIII, and the costumes are in keeping with the aesthetic tastes of that luxurious period.

The production is being presented

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To complete plans regarding campaign of
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here November 22, 23, 29 and 30, in aid of the Navy League, and a cast of such talented performers and singers as Miss Eva Hart, Mrs. Wendell Shaw, Miss L. Cody, Mrs. Allwood, and Messrs. H. J. Davis, R. B. McKenna, Jack Peck, James Hunter and C. Dunsford ensure it a delightful rendition and a capital success. These artists will be supported by a strong chorus of picked voices.

AT VARIETY MONDAY.

The master screen craftsman, David Wark Griffith, producer of the screen's greatest sensations, creator of the most advanced innovations in motion picture production, finder and developer of the world's greatest screen stars, has produced another wonderful production, "The Love Flower," which is being heralded everywhere as a creation of exquisite beauty, haunting charm and spirited drama. United Artists Corporation recently announced its release and the first showing of this newest Griffith production in this community will be at the Variety Theatre all next week.

Words of the most superlative degree and descriptions of the most laudatory nature have not been found to express in adequate terms this wonderful picture play of love and adventure such as only a Griffith, a master, may reveal in all its beauty, strength and excitement. Critics have pronounced it one of the most remarkable productions that has ever come from this master hand, and fans everywhere have revelled in its beauty and excitement. Critics have pronounced it as a production comparable only with the most wonderful that has come to the screen in the past few years.

THOSE CHILDREN.

A little girl who was an unnoticed listener at dinner the other day suddenly piped up with: "Mamma, is everybody wicked?"
"Why, no, my child, of course not," answered the mother. "Why do you ask such a question as that?"
"Because you haven't said a nice thing about anyone to-day."
The meal finished in silence.

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STUFFED WITH SHAVINGS.

Football, which now is the most popular of athletic games, is really the most ancient of all, though in the old days, of course, it was not played in the comparatively gentle form it is now.

So long ago as "B.C." a game, whose chief attraction appeared to be in kicking about a piece of circular-shaped wood, was played among the inhabitants of what we now know as Ireland. Rather hard on one's toes, particularly as the shoes worn at that time were hardly worth the name!

The Greeks, Polynesians, Luzon hillmen, Eskimos, and many others played a game similar to this, and from which our soccer, as we know it, must have originated. With shoes

of hide the medieval Italians played a game which most resembles football as it is now played.

In the Middle Ages, football in England was not popular, though a certain number of enthusiasts tried to make it so.

At that time the game was played in the streets with a ball which was merely a linen case stuffed with shavings. It always caused a tremendous commotion, and more often than not was an excuse for some rowdy brawl. A writer of the sixteenth century actually called it "a devilish pastime inciting envy, brawling, murder, and even homicide!"

So football, though, of course, it has passed through many different stages, is an old, old game which has at one time or another, been played by practically all the races of the world.—Answers.

CHILDREN'S SHOE SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY

Very special offerings in children's shoes to-morrow at our Stock Reduction Shoe Sale; some of these groups contain broken lines, together with complete size ranges, so that all sizes will be found in every group.

Children's Boots \$1.95	Children's Boots \$2.95
Patent, kid and brown shoes in button and Blucher, with heavy turned soles; sizes 2-7½.	Lace and Blucher boots in black and brown calf; some with high cut tops; sizes 8 to 10½.
Misses' Boots, \$3.85	Boys' Boots, \$2.25
Mostly black lace boots in calf and elk; very durable for school wear; regular values to \$5.50; sizes 11, 12, 13, 1 and 2.	Chrome Bluchers with bellows tongue and heavy out-sole; sizes 1-5. Very special value.
Cushion Sole Ankle Straps	
Patent, gunmetal calf and brown calf, with full welted out-sole and cushion inner-sole.	
Sizes 8-10½	\$2.95
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EMPRESS WILL SAIL TO-DAY FOR ORIENT

Representative of General Stewart's Firm to Investigate Bombay Undertaking

The C. P. O. S. liner Empress of Russia is posted to sail from the Outer Docks to-night on her out-bound voyage to the Far East.

She is expected to get away from Vancouver at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and should arrive here at 9 o'clock, leaving shortly afterwards for the Orient.

Among the passengers sailing by the Empress liner will be Col. A. E. Griffin, who is en route to India. He will represent the firm of Major-General J. W. Stewart, C.B., in connection with an extensive harbor and reclamation work at Bombay.

General Stewart's London office was asked by the British Government to submit tenders on this work, the first step in which will consist of a sea-wall which to cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

Thereafter it is expected that there will be a large amount of work re-claiming considerable areas which will be protected by the sea-wall.

Sir Arthur Whiffen Brown, who crossed the Atlantic with the late Sir John A. Macdonald in the non-stop aeroplane flight, will also sail by the Empress of Russia for the Orient.

Among other prominent travellers will be Sir Francis and Lady Aglen, Sir Francis is Inspector-General of Chinese Customs.

Mrs. A. E. Bryan, wife of the Canadian trade commissioner to China, is passing through this port on her way to Shanghai to join her husband.

Mrs. Lee Mong Kow and family, of this city, will sail by the Empress to join Lee Mong Kow, who is now commander of the C.P.O.S. at Hong-kong. For a quarter of a century Lee Mong Kow has been Chinese immigration inspector at Victoria.

As a compliment to her husband, Mrs. Lee Mong Kow will be the recipient of a presentation this evening from local transportation officials. The presentation will be made at the Outer Docks prior to embarkation here.

The liner will carry about 400 passengers in the saloon, 30 second cabin, 30 third cabin, and about 650 Chinese in the Asiatic steerage.

The majority of the Chinese are returning to the homeland for the New Year festivities.

Two N. Y. K. ships HERE TO-MORROW
Tajima Maru Inbound From the Orient and Katori Maru Outbound

One vessel in and another out is the schedule of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha for to-morrow. The liner Tajima Maru is expected in port to-morrow, but no definite word of her arrival has been received up to noon to-day. The Tajima has no passengers, but will discharge 200 tons of Oriental freight here.

The liner Katori Maru will have a total of 350 passengers aboard when she sails to-morrow evening for Yokohama. Every berth on the liner has been sold and she will be a capacity ship when she puts to sea from this port. She is taking out 100 saloon, 30 second class and 210 third class passengers. The passengers will include a Japanese touring party of 125 people, headed by H. Teshigahara, the members of which will spend several months in Japan before returning to this coast.

The N. Y. K. steamship Kashima Maru is on her way across the Pacific and is expected to reach this port November 24.

TWO MORE SHIPPING INQUIRIES ON SLATE

Princess Royal-Charmer and Royal-Marmion Collisions to Be Investigated

Vancouver, Nov. 18.—Captain J. D. Macpherson, wrecked commissioner, will hold the inquiry into the collision of the C. P. R. steamers Princess Royal and Charmer next week. The vessels collided some weeks ago just outside Victoria harbor. Captain Macpherson will hold the investigation in the Princess Royal-Marmion-Louisiana collision shortly after he concludes the Royal-Charmer inquiry. Captain Williamson, of Vancouver, and Captain G. Bridge will be his assistants at the inquiry next week.

MASTER HOPES TO SAVE HIS VESSEL

Captain H. Michelson, of Wrecked Joan of Arc, Goes to Marshfield

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 18.—Capt. H. Michelson, of the steam schooner Joan of Arc, which went ashore in a storm Monday night, left here yesterday for Port Orchard to superintend efforts to float the vessel, if he finds salvage possible. Five members of the crew went with him and twenty-two left for San Francisco.

Latest reports here were that the Joan of Arc and her cargo would be lost, but Capt. Michelson thought that with favorable weather the vessel might be pulled off.

The tug Storm King was expected to reach Port Orchard yesterday.

Salmon pack is slightly smaller than previous year

Vancouver, Nov. 18.—British Columbia's 1920 salmon pack was less than that of the preceding year and approximated the total of five years ago, according to a statement prepared by the B. C. Salmon Cannery Association. The deficiency is due principally to the small quantity of chums handled by the canneries this season, because of the difficulty in marketing this variety.

The total for 1920 is 3,177,947 cases, as compared with 3,292,156 for 1919; 1,817,357 for 1918, and 1,132,381 for 1917.

Prevailing market prices would give this season's salmon pack a selling value of \$13,307,719, of which \$6,862,357 represents the sockeye. The other varieties are valued as follows:

Red spring, \$1,415,104; pink spring, \$47,528; white spring, \$66,430; blueback, \$128,976; steelhead, \$13,260; chinook, \$1,156,263; pink, \$3,125,126; and chum, \$23,150.

Practically all the red salmon has been sold, and Great Britain, Eastern Canada, the United States, South Africa and China were found to be ready and anxious buyers for this product.

Shipments to Australia were hampered because of the difficulty of arranging credit through London. The bulk of the pink and chums have not yet been sold.

The 1920 salmon pack, by cases, was made up as follows:

District Total
Fraser River 132,860
Skeena River 234,292
Rivers Inlet 152,328
Naselle River 81,153
Vancouver Island (minus Nootka) 77,402
Outlying districts 298,412
Grand total 1,177,947

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AUXILIARY SCHOONER LAUREL WHALEN

CHIEF OFFICER OF MAKURA SECURES BERTH ON SHORE

Captain R. Saunders, chief officer of the Japanese liner Makura, has been appointed shore superintendent of Sydney and Melbourne for the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

Captain Saunders was master of steamship Wairarapa when he was taken by the German raider Wolf.

Word has been received here to the effect that the C. P. O. S. liner Montague will dock here early on Sunday morning from the Orient.

According to wireless reports received from Captain A. J. Hosken, R. N. R., the Montague will reach Barkley Sound. At the present time, therefore, will have to remain at the quarantine station until the following morning when the liner will be given a clearance.

The Montague is laden with a full cargo of Oriental merchandise, but her passenger list is exceptionally light.

Freighter may go to Barkley Sound

Reported Oridono Maru Will Load Salt Herring for Japan Direct

Considerable interest is being evinced in transportation circles in the settlement of the question of shipping salt herring direct from Barkley Sound. At the present time the salt fish is brought to Victoria and Vancouver by coasting vessels and loaded on the ocean carriers.

The Blue Funnel liner Tyndareus was here yesterday loading 1,100 tons of salt fish brought to this port from West Coast ports and destined for the Oriental market.

It is reported that the Japanese steamship Oridono Maru may be sent to Barkley Sound to load 1,000 tons of salt herring for Japan. There are a number of Japanese salteries on the coast and they are reported as having a large quantity to ship. The Oridono Maru is to load it about November 23. At present it is not decided whether she will take her cargo at Vancouver or at the salteries. If she loads on the Sound she will have to do so from scows, and there will be the additional cost of sending a tug to longshoremen there and maintain- ing them during the period of loading ship. Whether this is cheaper than freighting the cargo by coasters is the question to be decided.

The Pacific Lime Company's steamship E. D. Kingsley has been making the Barkley Sound call regularly this fall, with big cargoes of salt from San Francisco, and it is pointed out that if she can get in and discharge without difficulty, it is also possible for the Oridono Maru to take cargo there. There is no question of the depth of the water or the safety of the harbor, the only doubt being the relative economy of sending and maintaining a tug while loading from the stream, or shipping by coasters and loading by more speedy methods.

Canadian winner to enter drydock on Monday next

The S.S. Canadian Winner is now expected to leave the Inner Harbor on Monday to enter drydock at Esquimalt. Her engine has been turned over while lying at the fitting-out berth.

The steam trials in the Gulf will take place shortly after the vessel has been floated out of the Esquimalt graving basin.

The tanker El Lobo passed up to Vancouver at 2:30 o'clock this morning from Lobitos, Peru.

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF B.C. FISHERIES REACHES OTTAWA

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—(Canadian Press)—Colonel F. H. Cunningham, Chief Inspector of Fisheries for British Columbia, and Major J. A. Motherwell, Assistant Chief Inspector, are expected in the Capital to-day for a conference with the Fisheries Department. The matters under discussion have to do with the British Columbia fisheries.

MORE STOWAWAYS TAKEN AT SEATTLE

Seizure on Liner Arizona Maru May Involve Higher Conspirators

Seattle, Nov. 18.—Another Japanese smuggling plot, which may involve petty officers of the steamship Arizona Maru and lead to the arrest of ten stowaways on the liner at Seattle, was uncovered by U.S. Customs inspectors at the port. A mess boy on the steamer, is held as one of the smuggling accomplices and United States immigration officials are to make an investigation to ascertain what other members of the crew, if any, aided in the attempt to smuggle the aliens in.

The credit for the discovery is given by United States Immigration Commissioner Henry M. White to Immigration Inspector S. G. Burford at Victoria. Burford obtained a clew to the presence of the stowaways when the ship touched at Victoria and sent the information to Seattle. Three Japanese were discovered hidden in the cargo by immigration officers late Tuesday night. The Japanese, according to their information, hid in the cargo and were fed by accomplices in the steerage. When in danger of being detected, they hid in the stowaways' quarters.

While making their search for opium and other contrabands, customs agents captured seven other Japanese Wednesday afternoon. Entering a linen closet suddenly, the federal men surprised seven Japanese who had put on their street clothes and had their suit cases in their hands, evidently waiting the word to go ashore. They are also said to have been fed from the steerage or crew's mess.

Assigned to Jobs.
Papers on the ten men are said to indicate that they were being imported to go to definite jobs in various parts of the country. A number are said to have been assigned for work in a sugar refinery at Bingham, Utah.

The alleged plot is believed to be similar to that uncovered when nine stowaways were found on the steamer Alabama Maru here October 5. Seven of the Alabama Maru stowaways are held for trial, two are detained as witnesses and two Seattle Japanese, one a restaurant man, another a rancher and two petty officers of the ship are charged with being higher ups in the alleged conspiracy.

POLICE FORCE READY FOR ANNUAL BALL

All Details Now Completed for Success of Seventh Annual Ball of Victoria Dept.

All arrangements necessary to the complete success of the seventh Annual Police Ball, which will take place tonight at the main hall, agricultural buildings, at the police ball this year will see a record attendance, it is stated, and the number of tickets sold far outclasses all previous years.

The ball is given under the distinction of the Victoria Police Department, and is being staged under the auspices of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Society as in the past years.

Learning by the experience of last year, the force this year has arranged for refreshments under the same roof as the ballroom, and this will be a feature that will commend itself instantly to all. The programme of dance numbers this year has received extra attention and the selection to be rendered by Orsard's twenty piece orchestra will be novel and lively throughout.

MISS SHRAPNEL'S PUPILS TO GIVE MUSICAL

At St. George's School, Rockland Ave., on Friday evening, an interesting "Musical" will be given by Miss Shrapnel's pupils in demonstration of the new "Rhythmic" system of teaching piano, devised by Miss Shrapnel. A cello pupil of Miss Shrapnel and two violin pupils of Miss Shrapnel will add interest to the programme, which follows:

1. Piano—Rondino..... Beethoven
Lorna Raven.
2. Violin—(a) Andante..... Faure
(b) Valse de Concert..... Gillet
Doris Le Page.
3. Piano—(a) Twilight..... Gade
(b) Allegretto..... Janet Lang.
4. Piano—Andantino..... Robert Schumann
5. Cello—Selected.....
6. Violin—Moderato—Andante, Tarantelle.....
Miss Dorothy Francis.
7. Piano—Rondo..... Beethoven
8. Piano—Valse..... Chopin
Miss Dorothy Francis.

CITY WOULD ISSUE A DOMESTIC LOAN

Confers With Bond Dealers on the Proposed \$350,000 Issue

The civic authorities are considering the advisability of floating a loan locally to raise some \$350,000, needed to pay for Fairfield Road paving, the Pandora Avenue extension and for part of the new Johnson Street bridge work, it was learned to-day. The matter so far is in the hands of the civic Finance Committee, which will make recommendations on the proposal to the Council in the near future.

This afternoon the bond dealers of the city will confer with the Finance Committee and discuss the proposition with it. The dealers themselves met this morning to decide their attitude toward the proposed issue and to estimate how many city bonds could be absorbed locally.

It is understood that the city proposes to raise \$250,000 for the Fairfield Road paving and the Pandora Avenue extension and to issue \$100,000 of serial bonds to cover a portion of the cost of the new harbor bridge.

TO FORCE PEOPLE TO CLEAR CREEK

City to Prosecute Owners of Bowker Creek Property Immediately

The civic authorities are about to take legal action against owners of property lying along a certain section of Bowker Creek for failure to clean out the creek bed. Mayor Porter announced this morning. Action will be instituted next week under the Water-Courses-Act as the city considers that it has a clear case under this statute.

The annual flooding of Bowker Creek has been the cause of trouble for some time and recently the city determined to take definite action to end the trouble. It appears that the blocking of the creek in a part of Saanich causes city residents hardship on account of the resulting overflow of water. The residents whose property lies along that section of the creek which is blocked up have been asked to clean out the waterway, the Mayor states, but they have made no move in the matter. As a result, conditions under which some city residents are forced to live is very distressing at times like the present when there is a heavy rain.

"Something must be done to relieve these people," His Worship announced to-day. "We intend to prosecute and force the residents to clean out the creek. Conditions now are very serious. In one place, indeed, on account of the blocking of the creek, a pool sufficiently deep to drown a horse has been created."

At a well attended meeting of the Provincial Arts and Industrial Institute held last night in the provincial library, the question of the establishment of an Art Gallery in Victoria was warmly advocated. There were present at the gathering, by invitation of the Institute, representatives from the City Council, Board of Trade, Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club, Real Estate Exchange and other prominent bodies of the city. Frank Giolma, president of the Institute, took the chair, while J. Forsyth, librarian, was also present. Mayor Porter attended for the civic fathers. Present J. L. Beckwith and C. H. French for the Board of Trade, Secretary T. J. Goodlake for the Rotary Club, B. C. Nicholas, Kiwanis Club, while J. C. M. Keith, architect, member of the Rotary, and J. G. Thomson, of the Victoria and Island Development Association, attended for his organization, while the other bodies were also well represented.

After a discussion, in which the establishment of a Provincial Art Gallery was held firmly necessary for the future of the Province, it was unanimously decided to elect a committee to go further into the matter. A large committee under the con- venance of F. B. Pemberton, and composed of Mayor Porter, J. L. Beckwith, B. C. Nicholas, C. H. French, Miss Morley, King's Daughters, F. Boucher, Amateur Photographers, P. Fox, B. C. Architects;

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RED CROSS DRIVE TO BEGIN MONDAY

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anxieties of war, contagious diseases, particularly typhus, have made their appearance and are doing deadly work among men, women and children of the stricken countries. The increased privations, due to winter conditions, will give a further impetus to the spread of the disease, and the expert advisers of the Red Cross predict that, unless steps are taken to check it, the epidemic of typhus now raging may threaten the whole world on account of the rapidity with which it spreads.

In the great area between the Black Sea there is appalling misery. This territory includes the new Balkan states, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Montenegro, Albania, Serbia, and Eastern Russia. In these countries there is lack of medicines and sanitary appliances. Doctors, nurses and hospital equipment are pitifully inadequate. Food and clothing are insufficient to make life tolerable, and disease, bereavement and suffering are present in practically every household.

In Western Russia, Poland, and Galicia typhus has been raging for four years. Instead of diminishing, it is spreading, as the following figures show:

Poland and Galicia

Year	Cases
1915	34,538
1917	45,840
1918	97,982
1919	231,204
1920	280,000

*Based on monthly average available

Spread of Typhus

Typhus is an intensely destructive and rapidly spreading disease, and its extension throughout the world can only be arrested by the introduction of enforcement of strict hygiene and sanitation in affected populations.

The infection is carried by parasites in the clothing, and clothing material is so scarce that the suffering countries of Europe that the poorest people are driven to wearing the infected garments of those who have died of the disease.

Typhus is running its course in Bessarabia without effective means of control. Owing to the low salaries paid to State doctors, and lack of means of transportation, the rural districts are largely without medical

attendance. Everywhere there is a lack of soap, linen and clothes. In Rumania medical supplies cost twelve times, in Poland fifty times, and in Czechoslovakia fourteen times normal cost.

In the Ukraine, in villages of 2,000 to 3,000 people, sometimes half the population have been taken ill at the same time. Some doctors have had to treat areas in which there were 20,000 to 30,000 typhus patients at once, and could get no medical supplies.

In addition to typhus, which is the most prevalent disease, tuberculosis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, and small pox have taken a strong hold upon the constitutions of millions of the people. In Rumania tuberculosis is spreading in an alarming and unprecedented manner.

According to an estimate procured by the London Times, there is only one doctor for every 150,000 inhabitants in Galicia. This year the mortality reached the alarming figures of sixty per cent.

In Jugoslavia the Union Internationale for the Saving of Children found 500,000 war orphans, of whom 100,000 had neither father nor mother. Doctor Livingston Farrand, Chairman of the Central Committee of the American Red Cross, who has just returned from Europe, states:

"The chief problem is the children of Europe. Red Cross estimates indicate at least 11,000,000 children in Europe now fatherless from war, and who must face the next few years without hope of adequate care unless outside assistance is given. Poland has 500,000 orphans, most of whom are living in camps for destitute refugees. In Czechoslovakia, Austria and Hungary there at least 1,000,000 orphans, of whom 5,000 were found wandering like animals in the Rumanian Mountains."

Explanatory of Plan

A Canadian Red Cross appeal on behalf of the British Empire Fund will be made throughout Canada particularly during Armistice Week. Arrangements will be made by Provincial Red Cross Divisions for receiving contributions within their respective Provincial Headquarters, which will forward them to the headquarters of the Canadian Red Cross Society. The Canadian contribution to the British Empire Fund will be administered in Europe under the direction of the British Red Cross in co-operation with the League of Red Cross Societies.

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- 1 teaspoon almond or vanilla extract
- whites of 3 eggs

Mix and sift first five ingredients four times. Add milk very slowly, while still hot, beating continually; add vanilla; mix well and fold in whites of eggs beaten until light. Turn into ungreased angel cake tin and bake in very slow oven about 45 minutes. Remove from oven; invert pan and allow to stand until cold. Cover top and sides with either white or chocolate icing.

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New Party Opens Campaign
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CLAIM INTERESTS OF MASSES UNPROTECTED

Charging both the Liberal and Conservative parties of the Province with failure to protect the interest of the workers—the great mass of the people—but making it clear that they had no "red ideas," candidates of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer Party opened their election campaign here last night with a meeting in the George Jay School. About sixty people heard Thomas Dooley, James Dakers and C. K. Christian, three of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer nominees without interruption but with the lack of enthusiasm which had characterized nearly all the smaller campaign meetings so far. The fourth candidate, B. P. McLennan, was out of the city last night and therefore could not attend the meeting.

Use The Ballot

"The strike is all right in its place and the ballot is all right in its place—both are complementary to each other," Thomas Dooley announced. "I have always fought to have labor use the ballot. Mass action means in the last analysis armed action against the State, and any man who advocates that is criminal."

Mr. Dooley attacked the "two old parties" whose promises, he said, had failed the worker time after time. Both of our old parties have funds from the big corporations to get into power, and as a result all legislation coming out of Parliament is for the benefit of the big interests," he asserted. He was glad to see, however, that the workers were awakening to the importance of having proper representatives in legislatures.

"Our children are not properly educated because the ratepayer's burdens are very heavy, and School Boards are incompetent," Mr. Dooley went on, urging that the Provincial Government take over British Columbia schools. He favored the closing of "boarding schools" and manual training and gardening in the schools, as those, he thought, formed an important part of the child's education.

"As a matter of fact, there are children going to school in this city to-day who are underfed," Mr. Dooley added as he proceeded to deplore school conditions in Saanich, where he holds municipal office. "The children are the nation's greatest asset, and we must look after them. There are many children who have passed the entrance examination who want to go to High School, and who can't, because their parents can't afford it. Do you consider that a good state of affairs, well, if you do, don't vote for me, because my voice, if I am elected, will be raised against such conditions."

"The people of Victoria paid \$230,733 a year for education," said Mr. Dooley, "and yet many children educated in Victoria went away to other parts of the Province when their education was completed. It was the Province that benefited, and the speaker thought that the Province should take over the administration of the school system, which, in this way, could be conducted in the most efficient and economical manner to the advantage of all concerned."

The Party's Plans

James Dakers traced the birth of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer Party, which had been formed, he said, in order that the rights of the returned men, labor and the farmers might be protected. Everything has been done fair and above board to get proper representation for the people we represent, though, on account of the shortness of time allowed before the election may have meant that we have not been as satisfied as they had not claim to be able to solve all the economic problems which face this Province," said Mr. Dakers, going on to declare that in the Liberal and Conservative parties the interests of the working men were not protected. "I know this," he said, "because I was on the Liberal Executive in this city. I believe that Mr. Brewster was sincere, but he did not have time to do all he hoped. But soon after he died I saw I had made a great mistake, believing that the new Government would change the conditions," he proceeded, attacking the administration for refusing to raise the wages of workers who were working upon the old Indian Reserve. "I have never got a dollar or a dime for my work for the Liberal party and that is why I reserve to myself the right to stand here to-night," he declared. "The old parties, when elected, soon forgot that they were the servants of the people. It wasn't long before they forgot. Both the old parties have criticized each other's policies. Before the election of 1916 the Liberal party's whole policy was criticism, criticism, criticism. You all remember how the late Duncan Ross used to explain the way the Province's natural resources were being dissipated. Then would come Mr. Brewster, who had only one plan, that he would force the return of the Indian lands. Did he do that? No. Why? Because he found these lands were held by big interests in the States, and international complications followed. He was told 'hands off!' And he didn't get very far."

The Patronage Plan

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The speaker advocated also a ministry of health, embracing old-age insurance, which he considered an essential piece of legislation. In this connection Mr. Dakers wondered whether the Government had shelved the work of the Social Welfare Commission, whose recommendation on these matters appeared to have been forgotten.

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tion. If legislation for seventy-five per cent. of the people—for the masses—is class legislation, then we want class legislation. We represent the masses, and if you vote for the Big Four you will be voting against the masses, and the masses have been the damnation of Canada."

Mr. Christian described "machine politics," against which the "Big Four" would "use" all its influence even if it did not possess the balance of power.

The Liberal and Conservative parties, said Mr. Christian, on the eve of election, were scurrying to adopt plans already promulgated in the platform of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer Party. For four years the Government had failed to do what was needed and now it was holding out hope of badly-needed legislation. "It's like the last election when they dragged that dry dock across the trail and swung the election," he said. "They are moving Heaven and earth

to break our party but there is no power in Heaven or earth to do it, and they can't because it represents the masses. They have had to put a clergyman on the Conservative ticket to add dignity to it and the Liberals have got Mr. Clearihue to run to add the dignity of the law to their ticket. It's plain political tripe? Are you going to bite at it? How long are you going to be fooled?"

"It is rumored that I am a red—a Bolshevik. The only red in the platform of our party is the red of the Cross of St. George in the Red, White and Blue. There is nothing of the extreme radical in our platform. Unfortunately the impression has got abroad that socialism tacked on to a labor movement means revolution, but so that there can be no doubt—no thought that we are camouflaging—we are simply, if elected, going to do our best to get sane, progressive labor legislation."

"This is your fight, not ours. You want social legislation, not this high-faluting legislation for the big interests, and we are ready to frame that legislation. What is needed to get that legislation is to show the Government that there is a demand for it."

Mr. Christian advocated Government operation of utilities which were on a paying basis so that the huge profits of the big corporations might enrich the people as a whole, instead of turning out multi-millionaires every year.

"What has the Government done to develop natural resources?" he demanded. "What has it done to develop the steel industry? We have the steel and the coal but it is not developed."

Say Soldiers Get No Help.
Mr. Christian concluded his address with the assertion that some time ago one hundred returned men had formed a company in which each had invested \$2,500 of his hard-earned money for the development of a tract of timber and the erection of a sawmill. They had been told by the Oliver Government, to which they applied for assistance, that they would have to cruise the timber. The men had been crushed, but the Government had insisted that it be crushed again. Even when this had been done the Government had not been satisfied, said Mr. Christian, and had sent out its own cruisers to inspect the timber.

Then the Government had informed the soldiers that they would acquire the land it would assist them to develop the timber. Accordingly, the soldiers had approached the Minister of Lands with a view to securing the land, and when this had been arranged they came back to the B. C. Department of Industries, from which they had expected assistance, only to be told that no help could be given

them because, while they owned the land, they now had no money.

"That's the sort of stuff that is handed out to the returned men who are doing their best to re-establish themselves and develop our natural resources," exclaimed the speaker. "Those men spent \$4,500 on that scheme and gave twelve months of their time and the Government turned them down flat and said, 'We cannot help you.' Whenever the returned men go to the Government they get the same evasive answers, and the men are fed up with it. I want you to understand that the fight we are making is your fight because the interests of labor and the returned men are the same. We are all workers."

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There was but a small attendance at last night's session of the Trades and Labor Council, the last to be held in the Knights' Pythias Hall on North Park Street.

The offer of quarters in the new Trades Hall on Broad Street was accepted, the first gathering in the new rooms to take place on December 2.

Hospital charges for workmen under the care of the Workmen's Compensation Board will be discussed next month by a committee of the Council, which will meet the board by appointment.

Municipal political action was brought before the Council, but discussion was by a unanimous vote deferred until after the present contest has been decided.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Prepared by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, Nov. 18—5 a. m.—The barometer remains abnormally low and rainy, mild weather is general on the Pacific Slope. Moderate temperatures also prevail in the prairie provinces.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 45; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .41; weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, .70; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53; minimum, 40; wind, calm; rain, .24; weather, clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.58; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .01; weather, clear.

Tatooka—Barometer, 29.54; temperature, maximum yesterday, 51; minimum, 39; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, raining.
Grand Forks—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 41; rain, .21.

Temperatures.
Portland, Ore. 49
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There is big money to be made with chickens this winter by the man who gets the eggs. The time to get the hens ready for heavy winter laying is now. Mr. Trafford's "1000 Egg Hen" system tells how and arrangements have been made whereby any reader of this paper may receive one copy absolutely free by using the Coupon below. Send no money, but cut out the Coupon and mail it with your name and address to Henry Trafford, 605P Tyne Bldg., Binghamton, N. Y., and the story of the 1000 Egg Hen will be sent you by return mail.

Victoria, B.C. Times Nov. 18, 1920

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PIG COTTON LOSSES

New York, Nov. 18.—The decline in the price of raw cotton from July has caused a shrinkage in values estimated as high as \$478,917,500, based on December contracts and the Government's predicted yield of 12,123,000 bales this year. Whether this potential loss to the farmer is a fair estimate is debatable, but it explains vividly the reason for an extensive propaganda in the South in favor of holding cotton. December contracts, which are now quoted under 30 cents, were selling in mid-July at from 32 to 33 cents a pound. July contracts at that time sold near 40 cents, whereas contracts for October at present bring only about 24 cents.

This sharp decline reduces leading Southern producers to do all in their power to start a holding movement. With propaganda of all kinds they have sought to spread the belief that concerted action will bring about higher values. Banks have been

urged to buy cotton contracts at present prices and demand delivery in January, when, it is asserted, prices will advance sharply.

What the result of this plan will be remains to be seen, but many here profess to believe that it will not reach the extent of a wide movement and that offerings of cotton will be sufficient to supply the limited demand of mills. This view is supported by the fact that business in unfinished cotton goods and bleached goods is virtually stagnant despite the sharp reductions and that many mills are on a curtailed production basis.

A significant development in trade circles was the recent reduction by Converse & Co. of 15 cents on Fruit of the Loom muslin, bringing the new price to 29 cents, admitted below the cost of production on the basis of present prices for raw material and labor. This action was taken, many believe, on the assumption that either raw material or labor—or both—would decline further.

DR. HALL OUT TO LIGHTEN BURDENS, BOOST FREEDOM

His Campaign a Vigorous Blow at Monopoly, He Says

Special consideration for "the great fundamentals of our national life—the worker who made our country and the soldier who saved our country" is the platform on which Dr. Ernest Hall is appealing to the people of Victoria as an independent candidate according to his announcements. His planks in this platform are: free maternity attendance, bonuses to mothers, free hospitals, educational reform to provide equal opportunities for pupils who do not contemplate a professional career, a square deal for every child, development of coal, timber and pulp areas and utilization of water powers for the benefit of the people, abolition of the poll tax and a sympathetic attitude toward the building up by constitutional methods of a new social structure wherein labor, both hand and brain, shall have its due reward and the indolent alone shall suffer want.

"A blow at monopoly, a boost for freedom and an effort to make your load lighter, your life fuller and your prospects brighter," is the way Dr. Hall describes his campaign.

"In presenting my platform do not run away with the idea that I fail to recognize the difference between education and legislation," said Dr. Hall. "While I may advocate very radical reforms I am not disposed to refuse a part because the whole is not immediately available. I do not propose to lesson my efforts to meet immediate necessities, nor to ameliorate present grievances until the caravan reaches the millennium. In this I disagree with some of my Socialist friends who, rather than assist in the rescue of the ship of state from the sands and breakers, would see it smashed upon the rocks, hoping out of discarded wreckage, to see a new structure arise thoroughly manned and equipped. No, my friend, you did not grow that way. The world did not come that way, neither can any true progress come that way."

Want No Crimson Flames

"The rising glory of the new civilization which some of us see in the future of British Columbia is already awaiting us and beckoning us on. This is only to be secured by hard and honest effort, step by step, a gradual adjustment from the abnormal to the normal, the domination of monopoly and materialism, to the coming of a true democracy and the reign of the people."

"We want no crimson flames of the French Revolution. While we may draw inspiration from the same eternal fountain of energy and our political enthusiasm from the same dynamo of liberty, equality, and fraternity, we want no repetition of Europe's carnage, but a peaceable change from centralization of power to the voice of the people, from that which benefits the few to that which is best for all."

"Let us, whoever are given the reins of government on the evening of December 1, light our campfires and enter upon a campaign of practical progress that will not cease until political liberty is assured by the elimination of partisanship, and the political machine, shaft, pulley and bearings be consigned to the bonfire. And when political freedom is fully established we may add equalization of opportunity and industrial freedom, pressing onward until every obstacle to man's welfare be removed. Is it not worth while?"

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It and Don't Know It," Says Physician. Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How to Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from furred, coated tongue, bad breath, sour burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality they are troubled due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest them. This condition soon breeds deadly disease if the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bilester Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucous membrane of the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the bilious magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucus and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover, all "acid" gastritis, which serves as a powerful but harmless aid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid, and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bilester Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and safe. It is a natural product from any local drugstore. Don't confound Bilester Magnesia with other forms of Magnesia, milk, citrate, etc., but get it in the pure bilious form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.

Owing to the loss of glasses at the restaurant buffet at Chatham Station, cardboard substitutes, which a halfpenny is charged, are being used.

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EMPLOYMENT REPORT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA FOR WEEK ENDING OCT. 23

Employment reports for the week ending October 23, of the Employment of Canada were tabulated from 590 firms in British Columbia with an aggregate pay-roll of \$4,887 persons, showing that as compared with their returns for the preceding week they had decreased their staffs by 1,439 employees or two tenths per cent. In this comparison, employers in 12 industrial groups had enlarged their pay-rolls by 278 persons, while in 16 groups there were decreases totalling 1,717 workers. A reduction for the week under review had been anticipated on the reports for October 16, but the returns for this week indicated a substantially larger decline than that proposed. For the following week, moreover, a further though smaller decrease in employment was expected by those firms.

As compared with their returns for January 17, concerns in 24 industrial groups registered additions to their staffs amounting to 6,169 employees. As there were, however, reductions in 4 groups totalling 1,588 workers, the net increase in the staffs of these 399 employers since January 17, was 4,771 persons or nine and seven tenths per cent.

While the plus groups during the week under review as compared with reports from identical firms for October 16 numbered 12, these increases were all slight, that of 84 persons in Metallic Ore being the largest. For the week of October 30 this group anticipated having a slight reduction. With the exception of a proposed decrease of over 1,500 persons in Water Transportation, the changes expected for the remaining plus groups were insignificant.

Lumbering Decline

Large reductions in employment as compared with their returns for the preceding week were registered by firms in Lumber and its Products, Edible Plant Products, Iron and Steel, and Coal Mining. The decrease of 775 persons in Lumber and its Products, which were the most pronounced recorded during the week, was chiefly due to a temporary shut down in a large sawmill, though substantial reductions were shown in other establishments. In the Lumber and its Products group, the decline occurred chiefly in the canning sub-group and were of a seasonal nature. Most of the losses in Iron and Steel Products were registered in the fabric sub-group while practically all the reductions in Coal Mining occurred in one mine.

For the week ending October 30, some recovery from the losses of the week under review was expected in Lumber and its Products, Edible Plant Products and Coal Mining, but in Iron and Steel Products a further though smaller decline was anticipated.

Some Increases

The most pronounced increase in employment as compared with statements from identical firms for January 17 were shown in Railway Construction, where the additions from week to week amounted to 2,522 persons or almost eighty nine per cent. In Building Construction, Clay Glass and Stone Products, Edible Plant Products, Non-Ferrous Metal Products, Pulp and Paper, Metallic Ore, Hotels and Restaurants, Telephone Operation, Wholesale Trade, Railway and Water Transportation, there were increases ranging from 100 to 900 persons in this comparison.

The largest reduction in the number of persons on their pay-rolls as compared with their returns for January 17 were registered by employers in Lumber and its Products, in which group 1,035 fewer persons were employed, a decrease of nine per cent. In Iron and Steel Products there was a decline of 353 workers, while in the two other groups showing minus tendencies in this comparison the reductions were slight.

SHAWNIGAN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETS

Shawnigan Lake, Nov. 18.—The bi-monthly meeting of the Shawnigan Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eardley Wilmet and will take the form of a book tea.

A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Roney for the purpose of raising a Ladies' Aid in connection with the Shawnigan Methodist Church. There were nine ladies present and the following officers were unanimously elected: President, Mrs. Roney; Vice-President, Mrs. Roney; Secretary, Mrs. Todd; Treasurer, Mrs. Ford.

It was decided that the organization meet on the second Friday of each month.

Among the Shawnigan people who went to Victoria and witnessed performances of "Chu Chin Chow" were Mrs. A. Kingsley, Mrs. Bloomquist, Mrs. and Mrs. James Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Todd, Misses M. I. Clark, H. Blake, M. E. Clark, E. Gibson and S. Yates.

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Dainty Swiss Embroidery Lengths with pointed tops and ribbon headings; suitable for making camisoles, chemise and nightgown tops; white and flesh. Per length: \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.95 and \$3.95



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Georgette Pleatings in delicate colorings for making all types of neckwear accessories; colors grey, flesh, rose, Copenhagen and lemon. Price, yard, \$1.50 to \$4.50

VICTORIA AUTOMOBILE CLUB TAKES ACTION

Deals With Several Matters Affecting Motorist; Selects Emblem

The Victoria Automobile Club held a very successful meeting at 408 Pemberton Building last night with President N. A. Yarrow in the chair. The newly formed club transacted a great deal of important business, and wonderful progress in the matter of securing members and formulating schemes for the promotion of the best interests of the motorist was reported.

A committee composed of Sydney Child, H. A. Davis, Alex. Feden, Stephen Jones and A. M. Allinson will wait on the City Council to offer suggestions for changes in the Parking By-law. Secretary R. R. Webb reported that he had taken up the question of the discontinuance of the order regarding the maintenance of tall lights on well lighted streets with the City Council, and he understands the matter will be dealt with.

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22-inch Dress Velveteen in eighteen popular shades; it has a nice close pile and will give splendid wear. Yard, \$1.50

27-inch Costume Velveteen, a splendid quality, with twist back; colors brown, Copenhagen, fawn, pearl and purple. Per yard \$2.95

27-inch Corduroy Velvet with medium size cord; shades of Russian, sand, nigger, Copenhagen, pearl grey, golden brown, taupe, fawn and brown. Per yard \$1.65

22-inch Corduroy Velveteen in sixteen shades, shown in fine cord with velvet finish. Per yard \$2.25

27-inch White Corduroy in fine and medium cords; a splendid washing fabric. Yard, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00

36-inch Costume Velveteen with velvet finish; colors navy, sage, mole, brown, damson, Copenhagen, claret, nigger, myrtle and wine. Per yard \$4.00

45-inch Black Suing Velveteen with very close, fine, silk finished pile; heavy weight. Per yard \$6.50

27-inch Black Dress Velveteen, good, fast dye; a fabric that will give good service for jumpers, dresses, etc. Per yard \$2.75

38-inch Fine Chiffon Velvet with rich, lustrous pile; just the thing for after-noon and evening dresses. Per yard \$12.00

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ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS ARRANGE GRAND CONCERT

Preparations for the Grand Cabaret to be held on Wednesday, November 24, under the auspices of the local branch of the Army and Navy Veterans are complete. As already announced, the musical programme has been left in the capable hands of Mrs. R. H. Pooley who has promised a first-class programme. This Cabaret, which will be held in the main building at the Willows is under the most prominent personages in official, political, naval and military life in Victoria having consented to allow their names to be used as patrons, and many of them have signified their intention of being present in person with their families.

Applications for tickets and reservations for tables seating not less than four should be made forthwith to the secretary, Hamley Bldg., telephone 2245, as already a great demand for tickets has been made. Tickets may also be obtained from W. H. Wilkerson, the Victoria Book & Stationery Co., Ltd. and members of the Cabaret Committee.

The catering for the Cabaret is in the hands of P. C. Payne whose capabilities in this respect are already well known to the public of Victoria. Ample arrangements have been made to ensure the convenience and comfort of all guests on arrival at the Main Building, and cloak room facilities will be found perfect.

The committee responsible for all arrangements of the Cabaret is under the personal direction of Comrade E. J. Down and is composed as follows: Comrades A. A. Page, T. A. Cresswell, J. King, L. McLeod, G. S. Rowlinson, W. A. McAdam, R. Webb, J. McIntosh, W. F. Fullerton, W. H. Wilkerson, J. Hinchcliffe, R. P. Clark, R. W. Day, J. Beatty, H. W. Hercher, D. Miller, A. G. Brown and the secretary, H. J. Young, from all of whom tickets can be obtained.

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Providing the provocation equals the offence of Jones stepping on Smith's corns. Far better to use Putnam's Corn Extractor—it does cure corns and warts in one day without pain. Try "Putnam's," free from acids, and painless, price 25c. at all dealers.

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Young Man: "Your father is a crank."

Father (overhearing): "Well, when you don't have a self-starter a crank comes in very handy!"